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The committee also was informed of another long-time secret—the navy had reports in June, 1940, that the Japanese would try to sabotage the Panama Canal if the fleet moved from its Hawaii base toward the Atlantic. The fleet feinted an approach to the canal, but the sabotage didn't occur.

This testimony was developed by Rep. Keefe (R-Wis) from a message sent by Admiral Harold R. Stark, then chief of naval operations, to Admiral J. O. Richardson, commander of the Pacific Fleet.

Wire Tapping Discussed

Both disclosures came as Gen. George C. Marshall, former chief of staff, proceeded through his sixth day as a witness.

The wire tapping incident centered around affidavits obtained by Colonel Clausen, principally from Lt. Donald Woodrum, naval intelligence officer at Pearl Harbor when the attack came.

Woodrum told this story:

The FBI set up a telephone tap about Nov. 1, 1941, on a line leading to a suspect who occupied quarters in the same building that housed the FBI. Telephone company employes discovered it and reported it to naval intelligence. The FBI complained to the company about that.

A Captain Mayfield, district intelligence officer, was "incensed" because the FBI had not consulted with him before protesting to the telephone company. He considered the FBI action "a serious breach of security."

Woodrum's affidavit continued:

"Cognizant of his instructions from the chief of naval operations to avoid any possibility of international complications and thoroughly aware of the explosive potentialities of the surveillances being conducted, Captain Mayfield ordered the immediate discontinuance of all telephone surveillances.

"This was on Dec. 2, 1941. Surveillances were not resumed until the morning of Dec. 7, following the Japanese attack."

Robert L. Shivers, FBI head in Honolulu, said in an affidavit he never knew the navy had stopped its line-tapping. The navy had been listening in on five or six suspected circuits.

The committee heard from Gen. Marshall a pointed description of how concerned the high command grew in Washington as the Pacific situation reached a crisis.

Marshall gave his personal opinion that war with Japan was "inevitable" from August, 1941, on but he hoped to avert it by making a show of force in the Philippines.

The wartime chief of staff said everything pointed to eventual war in the Pacific from the summer of that fateful year onward.

He told the high level officials of the government the army needed until Dec. 5 to make adequate preparations, and that Adm. Harold R. Stark needed until February of 1942 to guarantee the navy's readiness.

"I had thought we could build up the Philippines by December 5 and if we could, it might discourage the Japanese," Marshall testified.

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K-9 HERO GETS WARM WELCOME

A HAPY WELCOME-HOME HUG is given "Chips", only dog to win the Silver Star for gallantry in action, by four-year-old Edward Wren at Pleasantville, N. Y. Eddie's dad enlisted "Chips" in the service in 1942, and the dog was cited for attacking an enemy machine-gun nest in Sicily, seizing a gunner and causing others to surrender.

40 Dachau Men Are Convicted By U. S. Court

By DON DOANE

DACHAU, Dec. 12 (AP) — Forty officials and guards of the notorious Dachau concentration camp were convicted today by a United States military court on charges of murder, torture and starvation, and will be sentenced today.

The court, deliberating ninety minutes, found camp commandant Martin Weiss and all the other defendants guilty of a regime of horror at he camp, overrun by American troops last April 30. Dachau then housed 32,000 men and 350 women.

Defendants sentenced to die will be hanged, which Germans consider an ignominous death. The trial lasted twenty-four days.

The accused took the verdict stocially, although a few flushed when their names were read. Nor was there any demonstration by the audience of nearly 300 German civilians who filled the courtroom in the camp itself.

The convicted included five camp doctors and three prisoners who had collaborated with the SS.

One physician, 74-year-old Dr. Klaus Schilling was accused of killing hundreds of inmates in malaria experiments.

Two others, Fritz Hintermeier and Paul Walter, were charged with conducting "pressure experiments" on prisoners for the benefit of the German air force.

Dachau was one of the most odious and most feared of the concentration camps set up by the Hitler regime for political prisoners. Witnesses at the trial said 5,000 Jews were killed in one camp at Dachau, that inmates were brutally beaten, that naked men were immersed in ice water in experiments, that some prisoners were sent to the crematory while still alive, and that the Nazis bleached human heads for souvenirs.

Brig. Gen. John Lentz presided over the eight-man military court.

At another trial in Dachau Richard Drauz, Nazi Kreisleiter of Heilbronn, was sentenced today by a military court to be hanged for killing a captured American flier by shooting him in the back of the head while the latter was handcuffed.

Marines To Stay In China Pending Early Agreement

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12 (AP) — United States marines are destined to be held in North China for many months yet unless Gen. George C. Marshall, under special orders from President Truman, is able to work out an early agreement between Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek and the Chinese Communists.

President Truman made this clear at a news conference today at which he also spoke of the approaching meeting of Secretary of State Byrnes with Foreign Commissar Molotov and Foreign Minister Bevin in Moscow as a rather routine affair.

Byrnes left by plane for Moscow this morning taking with him as an advisor on atomic energy problems Dr. James B. Conant, Harvard university president, and a panel of experts on European and Asiatic problems.

Asked for comment on the tripartite session opening Saturday, Truman said it was planned a long time ago as part of the program of meeting among the big-power foreign ministers which was laid down at the Yalta big three conference last winter. He added that he expected the next meeting to be held in Washington in March or April.

The president thus emphasized the same attitude toward the conference that Byrnes has publicly preached—that people should not expect too much in the way of specific agreements, that the important thing is for the foreign ministers to talk over matters face to face.

The questions of the marines in China came up when Truman was asked the direct question: When will they be taken out?

He said that would be done when our surrender terms with Japan have been carried out. Then he volunteered the information that at a later date he will announce a complete policy on China for the guidance of Marshall, his special envoy there succeeding Maj. Gen. Patrick J. Hurley.

Marshall is expected to leave within a day or so and the policy

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Federal Experts Admit Error; Job Outlook Brightens

Over-estimated Reconversion Impact; Fewer Jobless Now Indicated

By STERLING F. GREEN

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12 (AP)—The national job outlook brightened today with indications there may be 3,000,000 fewer unemployed by spring than the government had figured.

Government experts, acknowledging that they over-estimated the bearish impact of reconversion on employment, now believe that not more than 5,000,000 will be seeking work by March, instead of the 8,000,000 officially forecast in October.

The 5,000,000 level may be sustained until mid-1946; then joblessness may decline as civilian production hits full stride—but officials now are wary of forecasting beyond the middle of next year.

One official described current unemployment as "amazingly small," probably ranging between 2,500,000 and 3,500,000. The War Manpower Commission had estimated that 6,000,000 would be unemployed by the year's end.

Includes Resting Vets

The new estimates include discharged veterans and others who are "resting" now, and thus not technically unemployed, but who will be in the labor market later.

Federal economists and statisticians are declining to be quoted at this stage—in fact, an informal ban on employment forecasts exists because of the error in earlier calculations—but it is known the revised conclusions are accepted by officials of the office of reconversion, the Census Bureau and other informed agencies.

The reasons given are numerous. They include heavy withdrawals of women from the labor market, and an unsuspected demand for workers among small, non-war businesses which apparently had been getting along with inadequate help.

Two other factors now loom as unexpectedly important; first, the lightness of layoffs in reconverting industries, and second, the high, sustained level of consumer purchasing.

Can Keep Workers

Big companies—those in the excess profits tax brackets — have found they can keep workers on the payrolls at small cost as long as that tax is in effect. It expires January 1.

One thousand dollars worth of labor can be retained for about $150; in other words, if a company kept the $1,000 instead of paying it out in wages, the government would take $850 of it anyway in taxes.

Plants therefore have been holding on to their help, in expectation of rising production when the assembly lines really start rolling. They will continue to employ ahead of actual need, experts now believe, because the increase in output will continue for many months in most cases.

The other surprise element, consumer buying, has been well above estimates. The federal reserve index of department store sales has been running ten to thirteen per cent above 1944 consistently, making 1945 an all-time record year.

Prince Surrenders As War Criminal

TOKYO, Dec. 12 (AP) — Heavily laden with bedding and baggage, a prince of the imperial family and other top-rank Japanese trudged through the gates of grim Sugamo prison today to surrender as war criminal suspects.

The surrendering notables, headed by aged prince Morimasa Nashimoto — first of Emperor Hirohito's family to be named on a war crimes list — were part of a group of fifty-nine given until midnight to submit themselves voluntarily.

As the prince and a procession of several admirals, generals, industrialists and newspaper publishers checked in at the prison, Japan's diet heard foreign minister Sjigeru Yoshida make one of the strongest understatements of his career.

"Japan," he said, "at present lacks complete sovereignty."

Yoshida made the remark in connection with his disclosure that the government already had broached to Allied headquarters the question of resuming diplomatic relations with the rest of the world.

Truman Expects Congress To Pass Labor Law

By WILLIAM R. SPEAR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12—(AP)—President Truman said confidently today he expects Congress to pass his labor law by Christmas despite current indications that committee hearings will be lengthy.

And just as confidently, the president appointed his fact-finding board for the General Motors strike and predicted both sides would cooperate with it.

The House meanwhile whooped through on a voice vote a bill by Rep. Jobbs (D-Ala) to make the Anti-Racketeering act apply to labor unions. The measure now goes to the Senate, which has previously refused to pass such a measure.

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Calls for Legislation Aimed To Relieve What He Terms Acute Housing Shortage; Veterans To Be Given Preference in Buying or Renting Property; Wyatt Named Housing Expeditor

By MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12 (AP) — President Truman, acting to avert "further skyrocketing of home prices," called today for legislation to fix price ceilings on houses.

In a companion move aimed to relieve what he termed an acute housing shortage, the president announced at his news conference that building materials will be back under a priority system in a few days.

Under the system, about fifty per cent of all construction supplies will be earmarked for single or multiple dwellings costing $10,000 or less a unit.

The priorities program also will set up preferences for veterans in the purchasing or rental of such housing.

A third step in the new overall housing program calls for immediate release to states and local governments of any surplus federal property suitable for housing. Included under this plan, already put in operation by the surplus property administration, are army and navy barracks and dormitories.

Would Crack Bottlenecks

To search out and attempt to crack all bottlenecks affecting home construction, Mr. Truman appointed Wilson Wyatt, former mayor of Louisville, to be housing expeditor in the Office of War Mobilization and reconversion.

A bill is pending in Congress to put price ceilings on new and old houses. The president gave it his blessing by indorsing a statement by reconversion Boss John W. Snyder that "such authority is essential if we are to avert further skyrocketing of home prices."

Snyder, whose statement was released by Mr. Truman, said "the price control features of the pending legislation appear workable and satisfactory."

A spokesman for Snyder said the administration is counting on passage of the Patman bill, now before the House Banking committee for authority to fix ceilings.

The bill provides that ceilings on new houses would be determined on the basis of actual construction costs, plus the fair mairket value of the land and the generally prevailing contractors' margin for comparable units in 1941.

On an existing home, the ceiling would be the price at which it is first sold after enactment of the bill.

Price control would be limited to those areas where a federal housing director found it necessary.

Snyder said the new regulation on priorities for building materials should be issued "before the middle of the month."

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Troopship Sends Out Call for Help

NEW YORK, Dec. 12 (AP)—The air sea rescue office, Eastern Sea Frontier, said tonight that the Navy Transport Le-Jeune and an ocean-going fleet tug were en route to aid the Troopship Joseph Hooker which had sent out a distress call from a position 270 miles east southeast of Nantucket light vessel.

The Hooker, carrying 526 army personnel, sent out the following message, the air sea rescue office said:

"Taking water in number three hold. Request vessels stand by in case cannot keep pumps going."

The Lejeune, which left New York yesterday for Bremerhaven, Germany, with 4,400 soldier replacements for European veterans, radioed that she was sixty-eight miles north of the Hooker and speeding toward her at eighteen knots.

CIO Says Union Will Co-operate With Factfinders

DETROIT, Dec. 12. (AP)—President Truman named a fact-finding board to look into the General Motors strike today and the CIO United Auto Workers promised to co-operate with the group.

When Truman announced his plan December 3, there was criticism from union circles on grounds that for a board to start inquiries with negotiations in progress might impede or delay a settlement.

Shortly after the president named the members of the board today, however, the UAW-CIO announced its intention to co-operate.

CIO heads have assailed the president's proposed legislative program to halt a wave of strikes. In this program he included the appointment of fact-finders during whose inquiries strikes and lockouts would be barred.

Truman's action today in the twenty-two-day-old GM walkout idling 213,000 workers over the union's thirty percent wage increase demand brought the government directly into the dispute for the first time. The fact-finders scheduled their first meeting for December 19-20.

General Motors indicted a comment would be made later.

"The president's fact-finding committee," said a union statement from President R. J. Thomas and Vice President Walter P. Reuther, "may be assured of the union's co-operation in getting all the facts in the dispute.

"We will place before the committee all of the facts and figures in our possession relating to the corporation's ability to pay a thirty per cent wage increase."

Named by Truman to the fact-finding body were Chief Justice Walter P. Stacy of the North Carolina Supreme Court, Chairman Lloyd K. Garrison of the War Labor Board, and President Milton Eisenhower of Kansas state college, brother of the army's chief of staff Gen. Dwight Eisenhower.

Justice Stacy was named chairman. The group will hold its first meeting in Washington.

"We understand from the president," Garrison said, "that the ap-

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Injuries Curb Dancing For New York Woman, 95

WOODGATE, N. Y., Dec. 12 (AP)—Mrs. Elizabeth Turk, a plaintiff in a negligence suit resulting from an automobile accident last August, told a New York State Supreme Court jury that her injuries prevent her from dancing.

Mrs. Turk is 95.

Six Nazis Accused of Engineering Brutal, Sub-Human Enslavement

By DANIEL DE LUCE

NUERNBERG, Dec. 12—(AP)—Six leading Nazis were accused today by their own documents of engineering the brutal, sub-human enslavement of more than 6,500,00 foreign workers through ruthless manhunts, arson and murder.

So revolting was the testimony that even their fellow defendants among the twenty-one leaders facing the international military tribunal edged away from them as silver-haired Assistant United States Prosecutor Thomas J. Dodd produced document after damning document.

Fritz Sauckel, responsible only to Hitler as Reich plenipotentiary for labor allocation, was portrayed as the chief architect of the labor enslavement program which so disgusted even Nazi underlings that they dared complain of inhuman treatment.

The documents told of prisoners dying like flies from hunger; of whole villages burned to force laborers into the Reich; "limitless abuse of slavic humanity" which had its "origin in the blackest periods of the slave trade."

They told of humans being hunted down in wild manhunts by the SS, without consideration for health or age, gathering humans into their net "like dog catchers catch dogs."

Drawn into the net of evidence with Nazi labor czar Sauckel were Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering, who in one cynical order directed that Russian slave workers provide their own food such as "cats and horses, etc.;" Munitions Minister Albert Speer, who with Goering, bid for the slave workers for his program; Nazi philosopher Alfred Rosenberg, who protested some of the more revolting of Sauckel's methods but never their objective.

Also implicated were Field Marshal Wilhelm Keitel, who initialled a Hitler order for use of slave labor on Atlantic wall fortifications and Hans Frank, governor general for Poland, who provided hordes of hapless humans for the Nazi slave program.

A tabulation drafted from Nazi and Allied files for the prosecution showed that 6,691,000 foreign workers were put to work in the Reich up to January, 1945.

Committe Favors Opening Palestine

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12. (AP)—Over the opposition of President Truman, the Senate Foreign Relations committee voted 17 to 1 today for a resolution in favor of opening Palestine to free entry of Jews "to the maximum of its agricultural and economic potentiality."

Chairman Connally (D-Tex), who cast the only opposition vote, said the president made it clear to him and to the committee that passage of any resolution on Palestine at this time would "greatly embarrass him in his international conferences seeking a solution."

The president and Prime Minister Attlee of Britain have set up a commission to study the Palestine situation and report within 120 days.

The resolution as approved was a combination and revision of three separate ones offered by Senators Myers (D-Pa) and Tobey (R-NH); Wagner (D-NY), Taft (R-Ohio) and Walsh (D-Mass); and Guffey (D-Pa).

It is a concurrent resolution and, if adopted by the Senate and House, does not require presidential approval.

Mayer, Movie Magnate, Tops High Income Bracket; GM Head Second

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12 (AP)—The treasury issued a report on big incomes tonight and the name of Louis B. Mayer led all the rest. The movie magnate got $809,070 from Loew's Inc., for personal services in one year.

Mayer's top ranking was disclosed in a supplement to an earlier partial listing of individuals' income from corporations. The report as a whole covers returns for the calendar year of 1943 and fiscal years ending in 1943 and 1944.

Ranking immediately after Mayer, who was in front by nearly $450,000, were Charles E. Wilson, of General Motors, and Thomas J. Watson, of International Business Machines. Fred MacMurray, in fourth place, and Deanna Durbin, in tenth place were the only actors to make the first ten as individuals. But the income of comedians Bud Abbott and Lou Costello, which was reported as a single salary—$424,320—ranked second.

Following is the list of the twenty individuals who, according to the treasury statements, received the greatest income from corporations for personal services in one year:

Louis B. Mayer, $908,070; Charles E. Wilson, $459,041; Thomas J. Watson, $425,548; Fred MacMurray, $419,928; John B. Hawley, Jr., President of Northern Ordnance Inc., $400,000; Nicholas M. Schenck, President of Loew's $391,860; Ormond E. Hunt, General Motors, $359,519; Albert Bradley, General Motors, $350,432; Deanna Durbin, from Universal Pictures, $326,491; Barbara Stanwyck, from Paramount and Warner Bros., $323,333; E. H. Bobst, of Hoffman La Roche, Inc., $308,175; John Thomas Smith, General Motors, $306,310; Donaldson Brown, General Motors, $306,160; Charles F. Kettering, General Motors, $306,117; Elmer J. Mannix, Loew's $300,725; Sam Katz, Loew's $298,125; Harry L. (Bing) Crosby, $294,444; William Powell, $292,500, and David Bernstein, Loew's $285,906.

Income taxes took a big bite out of these payments, however. The rates generally ranged from fifty per cent or more on income of $200,000 to about ninety per cent on income approaching $1,000,000.

Chungking Army Takes Key Cities In Manchuria with Russian Aid

CHUNGKING, Dec. 12 (AP)—Central government troops moved by road into Mukden and by air into Changchun today in two giant strides toward restoring China's sovereignty over Manchuria, a Tientsin dispatch said.

Associated Press Correspondent Olen Clements, quoting Chinese military sources in Tientsin, said Lt. Gen. Tu Li-Ming's forces entered Mukden without incident after a 240-mile march across southern Manchuria that began last month.

Tientsin sources reported the moves were made in an agreement with Russia under which Chungking forces will occupy most strategic areas in the vast and partly industrialized territory seized by Japan when she began her fateful era of Asiatic conquest in 1931.

These sources declared Russian troops had cleared the way for the entry of Chungking divisions whose possession of Manchuria has been contested by Chinese Communist forces.

While Tu's overland units entered Mukden, Manchuria's largest city, the Fifth division of Chungking's Ninety-fourth army began landing by plane at Changchun, the capital 170 miles to the northeast, Clements reported.

Lt. Gen. Yao Keh-Min, chief of staff of the division, was quoted as saying on his return from Changchun to Peiping that Russian troops were guarding the airfield and soon would turn it over to his forces.

AP Correspondent Spencer Davis in Peiping said Yao found Chinese communists had disappeared from the vicinity of Changchun.

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By TOM REEDY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12 (AP) — Pearl Harbor investigators were told today that the navy, after a row with the FBI, stopped listening in on Japanese telephone conversations in Hawaii five days before the Dec. 7, 1941 attack.

The FBI continued tapping one Japanese consulate line up to the moment of the assault, and in this way learned that the consul in Honolulu was destroying his codes.

This evidence, placed before the Joint Congressional Investigating committee, was included in a report by Lt. Col. Henry C. Clausen, assigned by Secretary of War Stimson to make an independent inquiry in 1942.

The committee also was informed of another long-time secret—the navy had reports in June, 1940, that the Japanese would try to sabotage the Panama Canal if the fleet moved from its Hawaii base toward the Atlantic. The fleet feinted an approach to the canal, but the sabotage didn't occur.

This testimony was developed by Rep. Keefe (R-Wis) from a message sent by Admiral Harold R. Stark, then chief of naval operations, to Admiral J. O. Richardson, commander of the Pacific Fleet.

Wire Tapping Discussed

Both disclosures came as Gen. George C. Marshall, former chief of staff, proceeded through his sixth day as a witness.

The wire tapping incident centered around affidavits obtained by Colonel Clausen, principally from Lt. Donald Woodrum, naval intelligence officer at Pearl Harbor when the attack came.

Woodrum told this story:

The FBI set up a telephone tap about Nov. 1, 1941, on a line leading to a suspect who occupied quarters in the same building that housed the FBI. Telephone company employes discovered it and reported it to naval intelligence. The FBI complained to the company about that.

A Captain Mayfield, district intelligence officer, was "incensed" because the FBI had not consulted with him before protesting to the telephone company. He considered the FBI action "a serious breach of security."

Woodrum's affidavit continued:

"Cognizant of his instructions from the chief of naval operations to avoid any possibility of international complications and thoroughly aware of the explosive potentialities of the surveillances being conducted, Captain Mayfield ordered the immediate discontinuance of all telephone surveillances.

"This was on Dec. 2, 1941. Surveillances were not resumed until the morning of Dec. 7, following the Japanese attack."

Robert L. Shivers, FBI head in Honolulu, said in an affidavit he never knew the navy had stopped its line-tapping. The navy had been listening in on five or six suspected circuits.

The committee heard from Gen. Marshall a pointed description of how concerned the high command grew in Washington as the Pacific situation reached a crisis.

Marshall gave his personal opinion that war with Japan was "inevitable" from August, 1941, on but he hoped to avert it by making a show of force in the Philippines.

The wartime chief of staff said everything pointed to eventual war in the Pacific from the summer of that fateful year onward.

He told the high level officials of the government the army needed until Dec. 5 to make adequate preparations, and that Adm. Harold R. Stark needed until February of 1942 to guarantee the navy's readiness.

"I had thought we could build up the Philippines by December 5 and if we could, it might discourage the Japanese," Marshall testified.

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K-9 HERO GETS WARM WELCOME

A HAPY WELCOME-HOME HUG is given "Chips", only dog to win the Silver Star for gallantry in action, by four-year-old Edward Wren at Pleasantville, N. Y. Eddie's dad enlisted "Chips" in the service in 1942, and the dog was cited for attacking an enemy machine-gun nest in Sicily, seizing a gunner and causing others to surrender.

40 Dachau Men Are Convicted By U. S. Court

By DON DOANE

DACHAU, Dec. 12 (AP) — Forty officials and guards of the notorious Dachau concentration camp were convicted today by a United States military court on charges of murder, torture and starvation, and will be sentenced today.

The court, deliberating ninety minutes, found camp commandant Martin Weiss and all the other defendants guilty of a regime of horror at he camp, overrun by American troops last April 30. Dachau then housed 32,000 men and 350 women.

Defendants sentenced to die will be hanged, which Germans consider an ignominous death. The trial lasted twenty-four days.

The accused took the verdict stocially, although a few flushed when their names were read. Nor was there any demonstration by the audience of nearly 300 German civilians who filled the courtroom in the camp itself.

The convicted included five camp doctors and three prisoners who had collaborated with the SS.

One physician, 74-year-old Dr. Klaus Schilling was accused of killing hundreds of inmates in malaria experiments.

Two others, Fritz Hintermeier and Paul Walter, were charged with conducting "pressure experiments" on prisoners for the benefit of the German air force.

Dachau was one of the most odious and most feared of the concentration camps set up by the Hitler regime for political prisoners. Witnesses at the trial said 5,000 Jews were killed in one camp at Dachau, that inmates were brutally beaten, that naked men were immersed in ice water in experiments, that some prisoners were sent to the crematory while still alive, and that the Nazis bleached human heads for souvenirs.

Brig. Gen. John Lentz presided over the eight-man military court.

At another trial in Dachau Richard Drauz, Nazi Kreisleiter of Heilbronn, was sentenced today by a military court to be hanged for killing a captured American flier by shooting him in the back of the head while the latter was handcuffed.

Marines To Stay In China Pending Early Agreement

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12 (AP) — United States marines are destined to be held in North China for many months yet unless Gen. George C. Marshall, under special orders from President Truman, is able to work out an early agreement between Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek and the Chinese Communists.

President Truman made this clear at a news conference today at which he also spoke of the approaching meeting of Secretary of State Byrnes with Foreign Commissar Molotov and Foreign Minister Bevin in Moscow as a rather routine affair.

Byrnes left by plane for Moscow this morning taking with him as an advisor on atomic energy problems Dr. James B. Conant, Harvard university president, and a panel of experts on European and Asiatic problems.

Asked for comment on the tripartite session opening Saturday, Truman said it was planned a long time ago as part of the program of meeting among the big-power foreign ministers which was laid down at the Yalta big three conference last winter. He added that he expected the next meeting to be held in Washington in March or April.

The president thus emphasized the same attitude toward the conference that Byrnes has publicly preached—that people should not expect too much in the way of specific agreements, that the important thing is for the foreign ministers to talk over matters face to face.

The questions of the marines in China came up when Truman was asked the direct question: When will they be taken out?

He said that would be done when our surrender terms with Japan have been carried out. Then he volunteered the information that at a later date he will announce a complete policy on China for the guidance of Marshall, his special envoy there succeeding Maj. Gen. Patrick J. Hurley.

Marshall is expected to leave within a day or so and the policy

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Federal Experts Admit Error; Job Outlook Brightens

Over-estimated Reconversion Impact; Fewer Jobless Now Indicated

By STERLING F. GREEN

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12 (AP)—The national job outlook brightened today with indications there may be 3,000,000 fewer unemployed by spring than the government had figured.

Government experts, acknowledging that they over-estimated the bearish impact of reconversion on employment, now believe that not more than 5,000,000 will be seeking work by March, instead of the 8,000,000 officially forecast in October.

The 5,000,000 level may be sustained until mid-1946; then jobiessness may decline as civilian production hits full stride—but officials now are wary of forecasting beyond the middle of next year.

One official described current unemployment as "amazingly small," probably ranging between 2,500,000 and 3,500,000. The War Manpower Commission had estimated that 6,000,000 would be unemployed by the year's end.

Includes Resting Vets

The new estimates include discharged veterans and others who are "resting" now, and thus not technically unemployed, but who will be in the labor market later.

Federal economists and statisticians are declining to be quoted at this stage—in fact, an informal ban on employment forecasts exists because of the error in earlier calculations—but it is known the revised conclusions are accepted by officials of the office of reconversion, the Census Bureau and other informed agencies.

The reasons given are numerous. They include heavy withdrawals of women from the labor market, and an unsuspected demand for workers among small, non-war businesses which apparently had been getting along with inadequate help.

Two other factors now loom as unexpectedly important: first, the lightness of layoffs in reconverting industries, and second, the high, sustained level of consumer purchasing.

Can Keep Workers

Big companies—those in the excess profits tax brackets — have found they can keep workers on the payrolls at small cost as long as that tax is in effect. It expires January 1.

One thousand dollars worth of labor can be retained for about $150; in other words, if a company kept the $1,000 instead of paying it out in wages, the government would take $850 of it anyway in taxes.

Plants therefore have been holding on to their help, in expectation of rising production when the assembly lines really start rolling. They will continue to employ ahead of actual need, experts now believe, because the increase in output will continue for many months in most cases.

The other surprise element, consumer buying, has been well above estimates. The federal reserve index of department store sales has been running ten to thirteen per cent above 1944 consistently, making 1945 an all-time record year.

Prince Surrenders As War Criminal

TOKYO, Dec. 12 (AP) — Heavily laden with bedding and baggage, a prince of the imperial family and other top-rank Japanese trudged through the gates of grim Sugamo prison today to surrender as war criminal suspects.

The surrendering notables, headed by aged prince Morimasa Nashimoto — first of Emperor Hirohito's family to be named on a war crimes list — were part of a group of fifty-nine given until midnight to submit themselves voluntarily.

As the prince and a procession of several admirals, generals, industrialists and newspaper publishers checked in at the prison, Japan's diet heard foreign minister Sjigeru Yoshida make one of the strongest understatements of his career.

"Japan," he said, "at present lacks complete sovereignty."

Yoshida made the remark in connection with his disclosure that the government already had broached to Allied headquarters the question of resuming diplomatic relations with the rest of the world.

Truman Expects Congress To Pass Labor Law

By WILLIAM R. SPEAR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12—(AP)—President Truman said confidently today he expects Congress to pass his labor law by Christmas despite current indications that committee hearings will be lengthy.

And just as confidently, the president appointed his fact-finding board for the General Motors strike and predicted both sides would cooperate with it.

The House meanwhile whooped through on a voice vote a bill by Rep. Jobbs (D-Ala) to make the Anti-Racketeering act apply to labor unions. The measure now goes to the Senate, which has previously refused to pass such a measure.

Orders Building Materials Put Back under Priority System in Next Few Days

Calls for Legislation Aimed To Relieve What He Terms Acute Housing Shortage; Veterans To Be Given Preference in Buying or Renting Property; Wyatt Named Housing Expeditor

By MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12 (AP) — President Truman, acting to avert "further skyrocketing of home prices," called today for legislation to fix price ceilings on houses.

In a companion move aimed to relieve what he termed an acute housing shortage, the president announced at his news conference that building materials will be back under a priority system in a few days.

Under the system, about fifty per cent of all construction supplies will be earmarked for single or multiple dwellings costing $10,000 or less a unit.

The priorities program also will set up preferences for veterans in the purchasing or rental of such housing.

A third step in the new overall housing program calls for immediate release to states and local governments of any surplus federal property suitable for housing. Included under this plan, already put in operation by the surplus property administration, are army and navy barracks and dormitories.

Would Crack Bottlenecks

To search out and attempt to crack all bottlenecks affecting home construction, Mr. Truman appointed Wilson Wyatt, former mayor of Louisville, to be housing expeditor in the Office of War Mobilization and reconversion.

A bill is pending in Congress to put price ceilings on new and old houses. The president gave it his blessing by indorsing a statement by reconversion Boss John W. Snyder that "such authority is essential if we are to avert further skyrocketing of home prices."

Snyder, whose statement was released by Mr. Truman, said "the price control features of the pending legislation appear workable and satisfactory."

A spokesman for Snyder said the administration is counting on passage of the Patman bill, now before the House Banking committee for authority to fix ceilings.

The bill provides that ceilings on new houses would be determined on the basis of actual construction costs, plus the fair mairket value of the land and the generally prevailing contractors' margin for comparable units in 1941.

On an existing home, the ceiling would be the price at which it is first sold after enactment of the bill.

Price control would be limited to those areas where a federal housing director found it necessary.

Snyder said the new regulation on priorities for building materials should be issued "before the middle of the month."

The fifty per cent of building

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Troopship Sends Out Call for Help

NEW YORK, Dec. 12 (AP)—The air sea rescue office, Eastern Sea Frontier, said tonight that the Navy Transport Le-Jeune and an ocean-going fleet tug were en route to aid the Troopship Joseph Hooker which had sent out a distress call from a position 270 miles east southeast of Nantucket light vessel.

The Hooker, carrying 526 army personnel, sent out the following message, the air sea rescue office said:

"Taking water in number three hold. Request vessels stand by in case cannot keep pumps going."

The Lejeune, which left New York yesterday for Bremerhaven, Germany, with 4,400 soldier replacements for European veterans, radioed that she was sixty-eight miles north of the Hooker and speeding toward her at eighteen knots.

CIO Says Union Will Co-operate With Factfinders

DETROIT, Dec. 12. (AP)—President Truman named a fact-finding board to look into the General Motors strike today and the CIO United Auto Workers promised to co-operate with the group.

When Truman announced his plan December 3, there was criticism from union circles on grounds that for a board to start inquiries with negotiations in progress might impede or delay a settlement.

Shortly after the president named the members of the board today, however, the UAW-CIO announced its intention to co-operate.

CIO heads have assailed the president's proposed legislative program to halt a wave of strikes. In this program he included the appointment of fact-finders during whose inquiries strikes and lockouts would be barred.

Truman's action today in the twenty-two-day-old GM walkout idling 213,000 workers over the union's thirty percent wage increase demand brought the government directly into the dispute for the first time. The fact-finders scheduled their first meeting for December 19-20.

General Motors indicted a comment would be made later.

"The president's fact-finding committee," said a union statement from President R. J. Thomas and Vice President Walter P. Reuther, "may be assured of the union's co-operation in getting all the facts in the dispute.

"We will place before the committee all of the facts and figures in our possession relating to the corporation's ability to pay a thirty per cent wage increase."

Named by Truman to the fact-finding body were Chief Justice Walter P. Stacy of the North Carolina Supreme Court, Chairman Lloyd K. Garrison of the War Labor Board, and President Milton Eisenhower of Kansas state college, brother of the army's chief of staff Gen. Dwight Eisenhower.

Justice Stacy was named chairman. The group will hold its first meeting in Washington.

"We understand from the president," Garrison said, "that the ap-

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Injuries Curb Dancing For New York Woman, 95

WOODGATE, N. Y., Dec. 12 (AP)—Mrs. Elizabeth Turk, a plaintiff in a negligence suit resulting from an automobile accident last August, told a New York State Supreme Court jury that her injuries prevent her from dancing.

Mrs. Turk is 95.

Six Nazis Accused of Engineering Brutal, Sub-Human Enslavement

By DANIEL DE LUCE

NUERNBERG, Dec. 12—(AP)—Six leading Nazis were accused today by their own documents of engineering the brutal, sub-human enslavement of more than 6,500,00 foreign workers through ruthless manhunts, arson and murder.

So revolting was the testimony that even their fellow defendants among the twenty-one leaders facing the international military tribunal edged away from them as silver-haired Assistant United States Prosecutor Thomas J. Dodd produced document after damning document.

Fritz Sauckel, responsible only to Hitler as Reich plenipotentiary for labor allocation, was portrayed as the chief architect of the labor enslavement program which so disgusted even Nazi underlings that they dared complain of inhuman treatment.

The documents told of prisoners dying like flies from hunger; of whole villages burned to force laborers into the Reich; "limitless abuse of slavic humanity" which had its "origin in the blackest periods of the slave trade."

They told of humans being hunted down in wild manhunts by the SS, without consideration for health or age, gathering humans into their net "like dog catchers catch dogs."

Drawn into the net of evidence with Nazi labor czar Sauckel were Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering, who in one cynical order directed that Russian slave workers provide their own food such as "cats and horses, etc.;" Munitions Minister Albert Speer, who with Goering, bid for the slave workers for his program; Nazi philosopher Alfred Rosenberg, who protested some of the more revolting of Sauckel's methods but never their objective.

Also implicated were Field Marshal Wilhelm Keitel, who initialled a Hitler order for use of slave labor on Atlantic wall fortifications and Hans Frank, governor general for Poland, who provided hordes of hapless humans for the Nazi slave program.

A tabulation drafted from Nazi and Allied files for the prosecution showed that 6,691,000 foreign workers were put to work in the Reich up to January, 1945.

Committe Favors Opening Palestine

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12. (AP)—Over the opposition of President Truman, the Senate Foreign Relations committee voted 17 to 1 today for a resolution in favor of opening Palestine to free entry of Jews "to the maximum of its agricultural and economic potentiality."

Chairman Connally (D-Tex), who cast the only opposition vote, said the president made it clear to him and to the committee that passage of any resolution on Palestine at this time would "greatly embarrass him in his international conferences seeking a solution."

The president and Prime Minister Attlee of Britain have set up a commission to study the Palestine situation and report within 120 days.

The resolution as approved was a combination and revision of three separate ones offered by Senators Myers (D-Pa) and Tobey (R-NH); Wagner (D-NY), Taft (R-Ohio) and Walsh (D-Mass); and Guffey (D-Pa).

It is a concurrent resolution and, if adopted by the Senate and House, does not require presidential approval.

Mayer, Movie Magnate, Tops High Income Bracket; GM Head Second

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12 (AP)—The treasury issued a report on big incomes tonight and the name of Louis B. Mayer led all the rest. The movie magnate got $809,070 from Loew's Inc., for personal services in one year.

Mayer's top ranking was disclosed in a supplement to an earlier partial listing of individuals' income from corporations. The report as a whole covers returns for the calendar year of 1943 and fiscal years ending in 1943 and 1944.

Ranking immediately after Mayer, who was in front by nearly $450,000, were Charles E. Wilson, of General Motors, and Thomas J. Watson, of International Business Machines. Fred MacMurray, in fourth place, and Deanna Durbin, in tenth place were the only actors to make the first ten as individuals. But the income of comedians Bud Abbott and Lou Costello, which was reported as a single salary—$424,320—ranked second.

Following is the list of the twenty individuals who, according to the treasury statements, received the greatest income from corporations for personal services in one year:

Louis B. Mayer, $908,070; Charles E. Wilson, $459,041; Thomas J. Watson, $425,548; Fred MacMurray, $419,928; John B. Hawley, Jr., President of Northern Ordnance Inc., $400,000; Nicholas M. Schenck, President of Loew's $391,860; Ormond E. Hunt, General Motors, $359,519; Albert Bradley, General Motors, $350,432; Deanna Durbin, from Universal Pictures, $326,491; Barbara Stanwyck, from Paramount and Warner Bros., $323,333; E. H. Bobst, of Hoffman La Roche, Inc., $308,175; John Thomas Smith, General Motors, $306,310; Donaldson Brown, General Motors, $306,160; Charles F. Kettering, General Motors, $306,117; Elmer J. Mannix, Loew's $300,725; Sam Katz, Loew's $298,125; Harry L. (Bing) Crosby, $294,444; William Powell, $292,500, and David Bernstein, Loew's $285,906.

Income taxes took a big bite out of these payments, however. The rates generally ranged from fifty per cent or more on income of $200,000 to about ninety per cent on income approaching $1,000,000.

Chungking Army Takes Key Cities In Manchuria with Russian Aid

CHUNGKING, Dec. 12 (AP)—Central government troops moved by road into Mukden and by air into Changchun today in two giant strides toward restoring China's sovereignty over Manchuria, a Tientsin dispatch said.

Associated Press Correspondent Olen Clements, quoting Chinese military sources in Tientsin, said Lt. Gen. Tu Li-Ming's forces entered Mukden without incident after a 240-mile march across southern Manchuria that began last month.

Tientsin sources reported the moves were made in an agreement with Russia under which Chungking forces will occupy most strategic areas in the vast and partly industrialized territory seized by Japan when she began her fateful era of Asiatic conquest in 1931.

These sources declared Russian troops had cleared the way for the entry of Chungking divisions whose possession of Manchuria has been contested by Chinese Communist forces.

While Tu's overland units entered Mukden, Manchuria's largest city, the Fifth division of Chungking's Ninety-fourth army began landing by plane at Changchun, the capital 170 miles to the northeast, Clements reported.

Lt. Gen. Yao Keh-Min, chief of staff of the division, was quoted as saying on his return from Changchun to Peiping that Russian troops were guarding the airfield and soon would turn it over to his forces.

AP Correspondent Spencer Davis in Peiping said Yao found Chinese communists had disappeared from the vicinity of Changchun.

A Chinese civil mission was reported operating jointly with the Russians the railway between Changchun and the Northern Manchurian city of Harbin and between Changchun and the southern free port of Dairen.

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And, believe me, that desire has cost me plenty in poker.

ALSO IN LIFE!

For life and poker are all of a piece.

You take the hand as it's dealt you. You discard, and arrange a new hand, according to your wisdom. Then you play.

Or, if you're a safety-first guy you sit tight and pass.

Look around and you'll see thousands of them doing it.

Sitting tight and keeping out of the game—

Playing safe — passing up the risks—

And, that's probably sensible.

But, as I said before, I've never been able to do it.

And if you were to read the story of my life—one of those true stories that people never write—you'd probably say I had been a fool for not passing.

Well . . . maybe. But I'm not sorry—

I'M GLAD!

I'm glad I stayed in and took all the chances there were.

For the hurt I've given others—

For the times I've been foolish and flippant—

I'm sorry and ashamed.

But most of the times I tried desperately not to hurt, and I wasn't flippant. I was in earnest. If I was a fool, I was at least a serious fool. I wanted to know.

AND I FOUND OUT.

I found out plenty.

Plenty about life and plenty about myself—

And a lot of it wasn't pleasing.

But it was all TRUTH—

And truth, as I see it, IS WORTH ANYTHING IT COSTS.

For—though maybe I'm wrong—it seems to me that the greatest thing a man can do is to seek the truth, even if he busts himself in so doing. Which, the chances are, he will!

Of course I'll admit that if he'll play safe—

And pass, unless he's sure he'll win.

He'll probably accumulate more money and good name—

And, for many people, that's the greatest thing in life.

But for me, I'd rather lose all my money and all my name.

AND HAVE THE PRIDE AND PUNCH OF PLAYING THE GAME.

AND OF FINDING OUT WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT.

Maybe at best my life's only a couple of two-spots.

And, when the lights go out, the game is done—

BUT I PREFER TO PLAY AS IF I HAD A FULL HOUSE

AND WERE GOING TO SIT IN FOREVER.

However, let me hasten to add—

This is not given as good advice.

What's meat for me may be poison for any other man.

So—play the game as you see it,

Or pass, if that's your code—

But as for me, I'm staying in—

And while there's a card in the deck—

I'M NOT GOING TO PASS.

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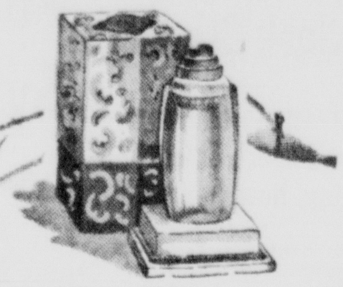

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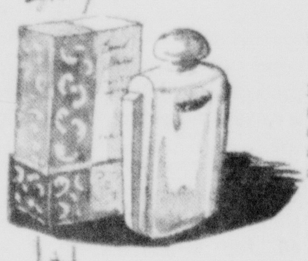

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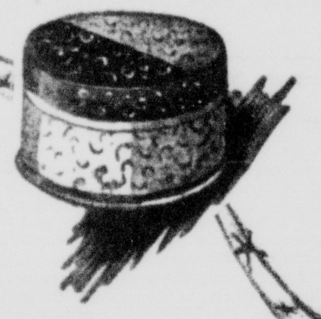

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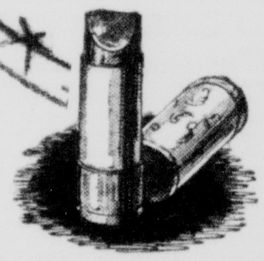

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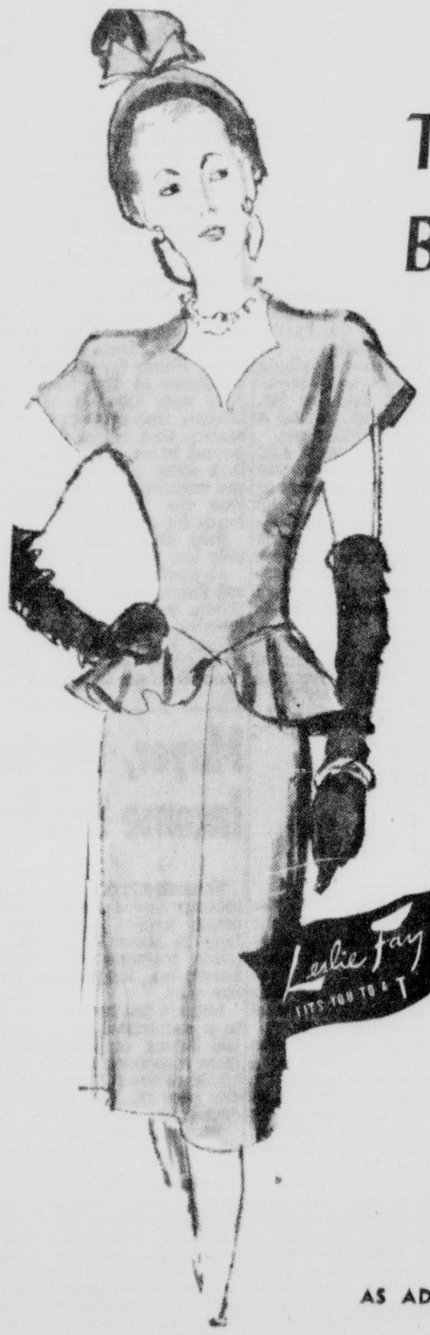

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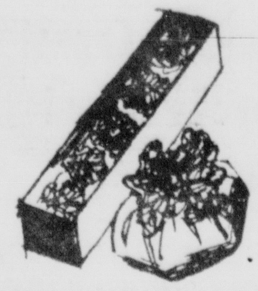

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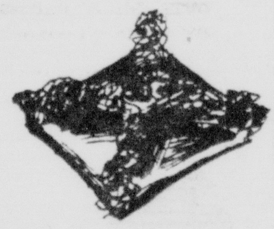

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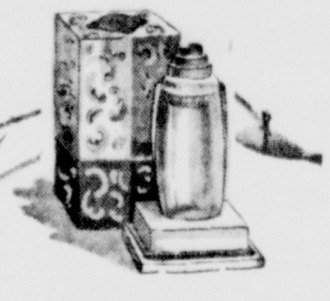

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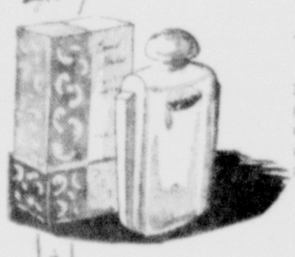

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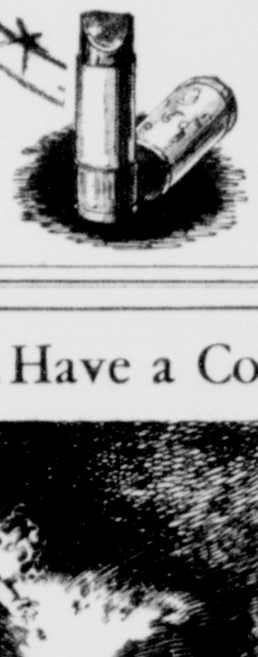

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LISTEN WORLD!

—By Elsie Robinson

(Registered U. S. Patent Office)

I'm the world's worst poker player.

I CAN NEVER MAKE UP MY MIND TO "PASS."

I always want to stay in the game and take a chance.

Even when I'm only holding a couple of two-spots, I want to bluff it through and see what happens.

And, believe me, that desire has cost me plenty in poker.

ALSO IN LIFE!

For life and poker are all of a piece.

You take the hand as it's dealt you. You discard, and arrange a new hand, according to your wisdom. Then you play.

Or, if you're a safety-first guy you sit tight and pass.

Look around and you'll see thousands of them doing it.

Sitting tight and keeping out of the game—

Playing safe — passing up the risks—

And, that's probably sensible.

But, as I said before, I've never been able to do it.

And if you were to read the story of my life—one of those true stories that people never write—you'd probably say I had been a fool for not passing.

Well . . . maybe. But I'm not sorry—

I'M GLAD!

I'm glad I stayed in and took all the chances there were.

For the hurt I've given others—

For the times I've been foolish and flippant—

I'm sorry and ashamed.

But most of the times I tried desperately not to hurt, and I wasn't flippant. I was in earnest. If I was a fool, I was at least a serious fool.

I wanted to know.

AND I FOUND OUT.

I found out plenty.

Plenty about life and plenty about myself—

And a lot of it wasn't pleasing.

But it was all TRUTH—

And truth, as I see it, IS WORTH ANYTHING IT COSTS.

For—though maybe I'm wrong—it seems to me that the greatest thing a man can do is to seek the truth, even if he busts himself in so doing. Which, the chances are, he will!

Of course I'll admit that if he'll play safe—

And pass, unless he's sure he'll win.

He'll probably accumulate more money and good name—

And, for many people, that's the greatest thing in life.

But for me, I'd rather lose all my money and all my name.

AND HAVE THE PRIDE AND PUNCH OF PLAYING THE GAME.

AND OF FINDING OUT WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT.

Maybe at best my life's only a couple of two-spots.

And, when the lights go out, the game is done—

BUT I PREFER TO PLAY AS IF I HAD A FULL HOUSE

AND WERE GOING TO SIT IN FOREVER.

However, let me hasten to add—This is not given as good advice. What's meat for me may be poison for any other man.

So—play the game as you see it. Or pass, if that's your code—

But as for me, I'm staying in—

And while there's a card in the deck—

I'M NOT GOING TO PASS.

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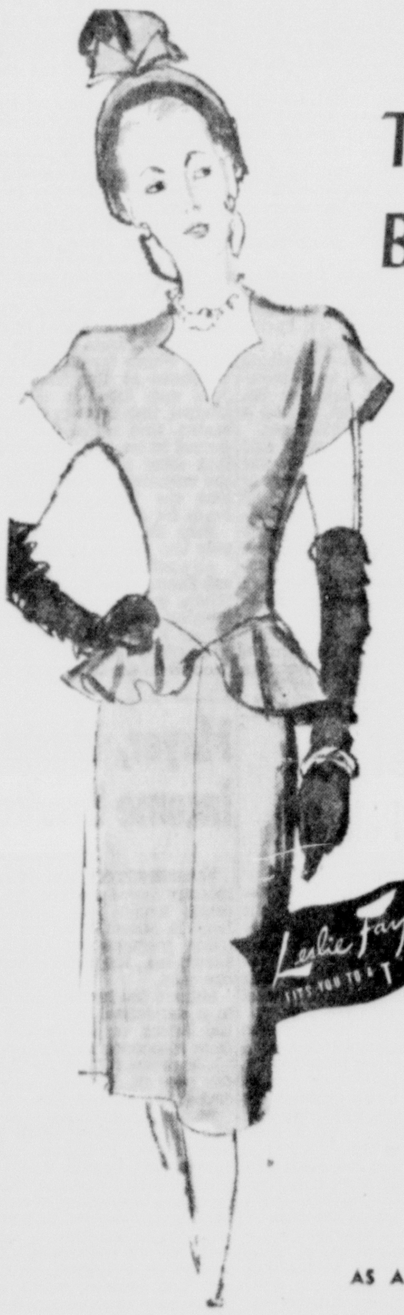

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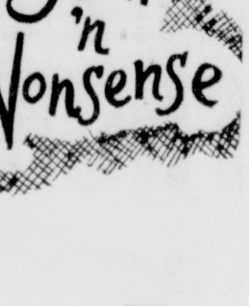

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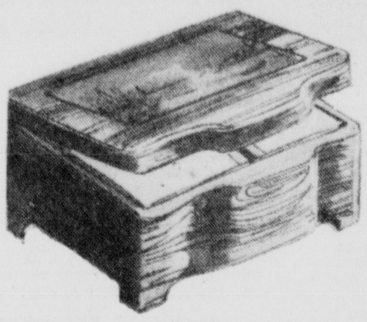

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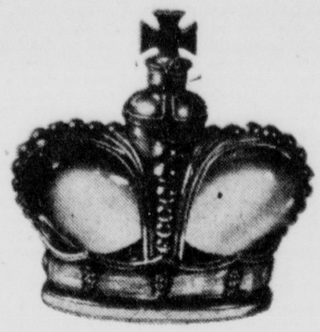

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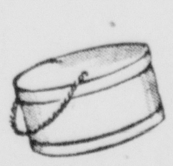

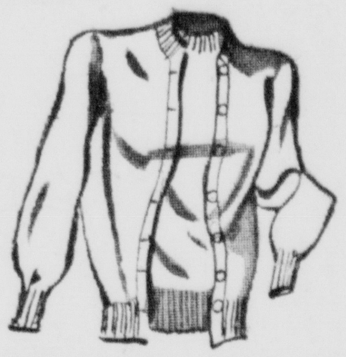

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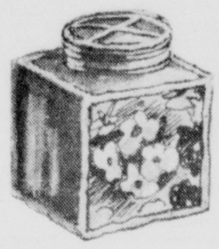

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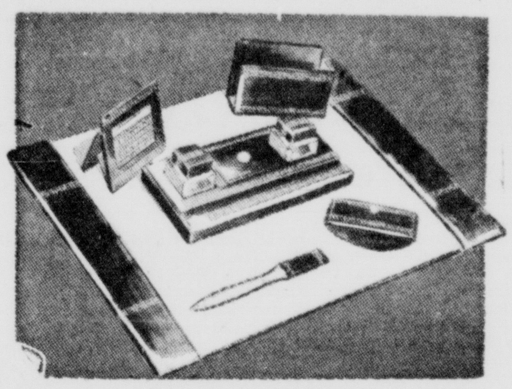

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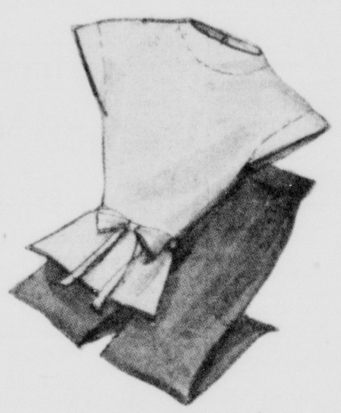

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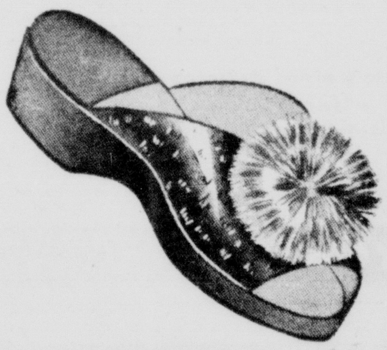

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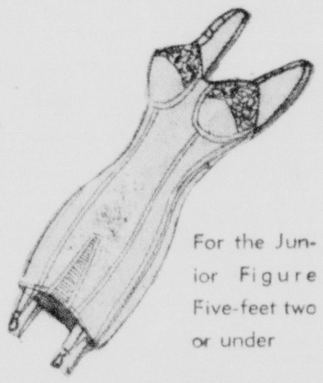

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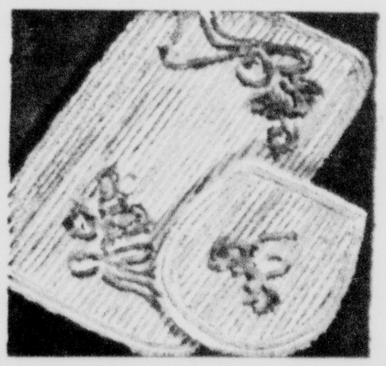

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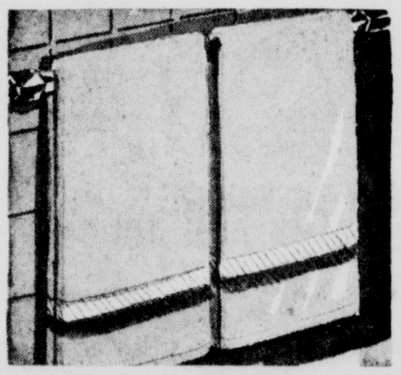

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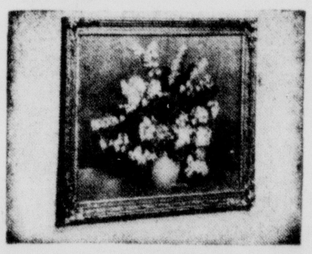

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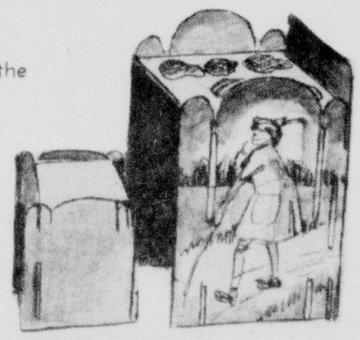

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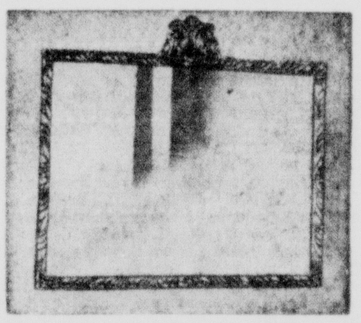

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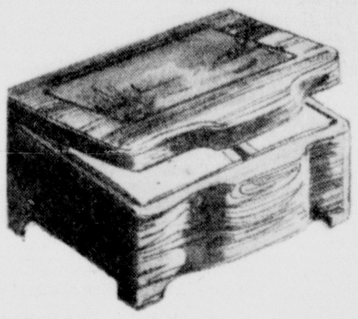

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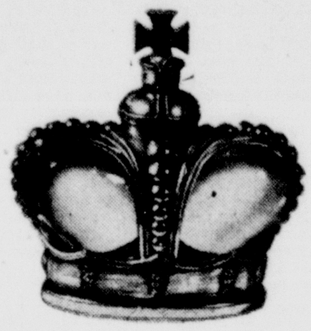

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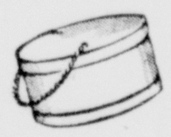

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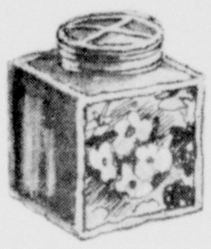

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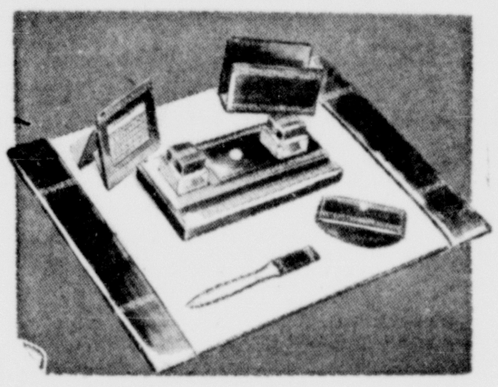

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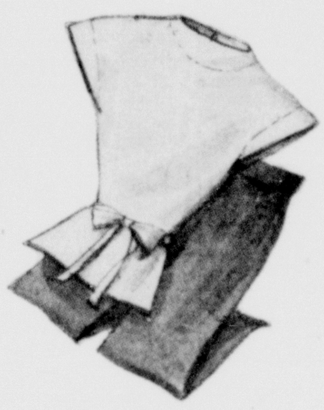

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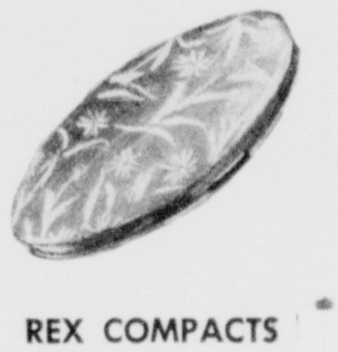

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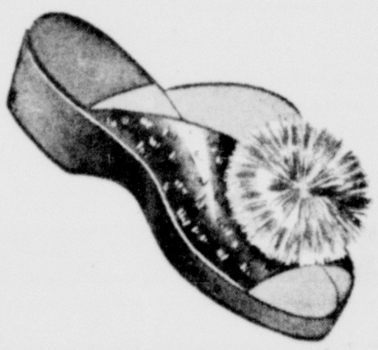

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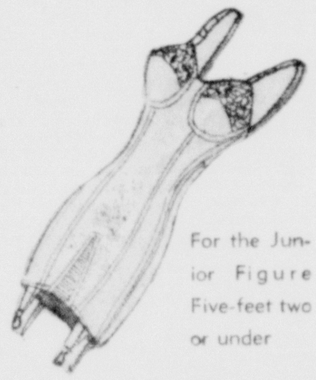

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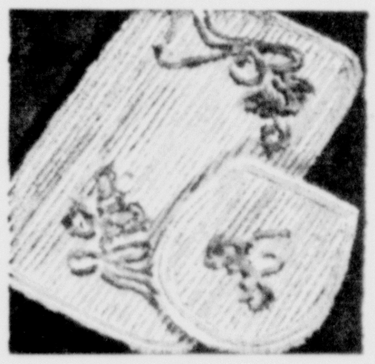

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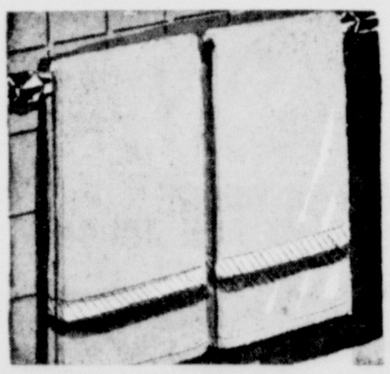

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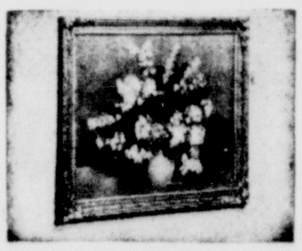

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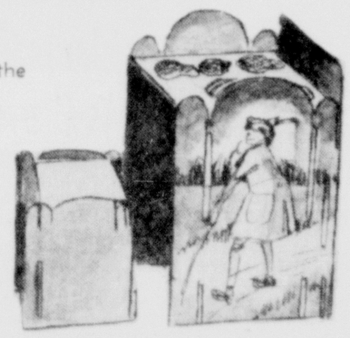

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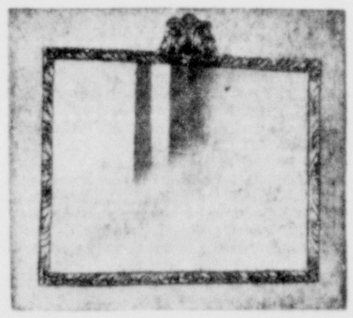

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Thursday Morning, Dec. 13, 1946

Republicans Deserve Pantry Victory Credit

LOOKING BACK upon the food rationing program, the "Pittsburgh Press" observes that it must be admitted that America's food producers "did a superb job" and that the rationing system "for all its bobbles and isolated inequities served its purpose pretty well."

This is true, but an important factor in the achievement must not be forgotten. The housewife who is now able to buy food freely albeit not yet in the variable quantity and quality that characterized the pre-war standard of living, can thank Republicans in Congress for the fact that she is not still waiting in line with her books of ration stamps.

Republican initiative secured legislation placing food administration under single agency control. Republican initiative secured an amendment removing the quota restrictions from 15,000 of the nation's slaughterers.

These achievements typify the Republican effort to restore normal functions in food production and marketing as against administration controls and a program of scarcity. The committee isn't through yet. It still functions and will continue to battle for food abundance.

The whole story of the food committee, and its two-year struggle against the New Deal philosophy of scarcity when the nation was urged to contribute its utmost for war, is told in a booklet just issued by the Republican National Committee, entitled, "The Story of Wartime Food Mismanagement."

This is a report of Rep. Thomas A. Jenkins (R. Ohio), chairman of the committee. He carried on initial studies until Minority Leader Joseph W. Martin set up the whole committee of forty-five members, covering every phase of production, processing, marketing, distribution and consumption.

The entire operation has been conducted without one cent of cost to the government!

As a result of its exhaustive studies, the compilation of the results of hearings and gathering of reports from all over the nation, it eventually laid bare a picture of bungling, mismanagement, wastage, overlapping and duplicating authority. It told of the sabotage of the national instinct to produce and conserve; it discredited the philosophy of scarcity. It revealed growing black markets. It warned of a sugar shortage early enough to avert trouble in 1944. It goaded, browbeat and hammered away at a recalcitrant administration until the Democrats took notice of the pressing food problems.

Early in 1943, it became apparent that the food picture was dark. The producer was slowed by crippling regulation; the processor was confused and the consumer was usually left empty-handed and resentful as he confronted needless shortages and greedy black marketeers.

Unable to act through Congress, Martin relied upon his own party to set up the food study committee. In May, 1943, it sought to take the food matter out of the hands of conflicting agencies and centralize it. The Democratic chairman of the Agriculture committee of the House, noting how popular the idea was, introduced similar legislation. The administration opposed it and the bill, preceded by high priority legislation, was prevented from being considered on the floor.

The committee battled on. It uncovered the poultry black market on the eastern seaboard. It called attention to the wastage of eggs. Members found potatoes rotting in the fields where subsidies had been paid for bumper production. It found butter turning rancid and sugar spoiling in storage. It called the turn on the pork shortage.

It appealed for correction of the beef situation. When the excuse was offered that shipping facilities were lacking for bringing sugar to this country, a floor speech revealed presence of idle ships in northern ports and within seventy-two hours sixteen were put on a "sugar run" which brought in thousands of tons.

Then came 1945 and the question of extending OPA for another year. Jenkins introduced an amendment removing food from OPA and giving it to the department of Agriculture. Democrats rallied forces and defeated it on a partisan ballot of 198 to 178. However, a less drastic measure, covering principal aims of the Jenkins bill was passed, and the long fight for one-agency control was won.

Clinton P. Anderson was a member of the House then and voted for the amendment but since becoming secretary of agriculture has referred powers granted him in food administration back to OPA. The food study committe prodded him until the slaughterers were freed from restrictions.

The food study committee is probably the only congressional group that ever operated in nearly every state in the union and conducted exhaustive investigations without cost to the government or the people.

Hobbs Anti-Hijacking Bill Should Be Passed

SINCE Congress has apparently made up its mind to enact some needed labor legislation—and it is hoped that in doing so it will find the equitable answers—it should round it out with enactment of the Hobbs anti-hijacking law.

This is a proposed amendment to the federal anti-racketeering act and stipulates that "whoever" obstructs interstate commerce by robbery or extortion shall be held guilty of a felony.

This measure is needed because of a decision handed down in 1912 by the federal supreme court. Union-teamsters had been waylaying out-of-state trucks as they entered New York city and by threats and physical violence compelling the truckers to pay a day's wages to local union drivers whose services were neither wanted nor needed. In some cases the local drivers, after collecting the tribute, failed to do any work for it. The added unnecessary costs, of course, have passed on to the public.

All these facts were proved in a federal district court whence it went on appeal to the supreme court. There it was held that Congress had not meant the anti-racketering act to punish such conduct by a labor union or its members. In dissent, Chief Justice Stone protested that the reasoning of the decision "would render common law robbery an innocent pastime," and Justice Byrnes, then on the bench and who wrote the decision, observed that it did not place such activities "beyond the reach of federal legislative control."

That was a plain invitation to Congress to enact such legislation as represented by the Hobbs bill, which would apply to all hijackers alike. The invitation was accepted in the House and it passed the Hobbs bill the following April by a vote of 270 to 107, but unfortunately a companion bill was smothered in a Senate committee and it died for that session. Now the Hobbs measure has been revived in the House and is scheduled for early action. It will in all probability be again enacted there. No companion bill has as yet been introduced in the Senate, but one ought to be and the Senate should follow the house action.

This measure is not an anti-labor bill as some union lobbyists would have it believed. It would help honest unionism by bringing a reprehensible species of racketeering and violence within the pale of the law. Honest workers do not need that sort of thing and are not entitled to it if they did. It is a simple measure to protect the honest worker and the public.

That Resolution Against Mr. Burns

IT STRIKES THIS NEWSPAPER that the certain members of Fort Cumberland Post, No. 13, of the American Legion involved have gone off half-cocked in causing adoption of a resolution condemning Clarence V. "Jiggs" Burns, sports expert and editor, and asking for his resignation as Cumberland boxing commissioner of the Amateur Athletic Union with notification thereof to the state AAU. It does not believe this represents the dispassioned sentiment of the whole post membership.

Mr. Burns has made a manly reply to this ill-considered move, which was prompted by his approval of Bobby Shrout's application for a license to romote amateur boxing tournaments this week at SS. Peter and Paul school gym. He declares his intention of acting without any discrimination whatsoever in deciding on any individual or organization that may desire to stage amateur boxing shows here "as long as their past record in boxing is satisfactory."

This newspaper believes Mr. Burns, in whose integrity it has implicit confidence, as witnesseth his long employment by this newspaper, acted in this case in accordance with independent and unbiased judgment, and it cannot see wherein the Legion post protestants have any just ground, aside from possible personal predilections, for what appears to be snap judgment against him.

It is the opinion of this newspaper that Mr. Burns, in his capacity as boxing commissioner, acted rightly. But, granted for purpose of argument that he may have been wrong in this decision, surely his splendid record of impartiality built up over the years and his established integrity should give him the benefit of an honest error of judgment instead of a sudden pot-shot attack, which this newspaper believes the Legion post will regret as something which tends to impair the high standards set and followed by the AAU and conscientiously observed and followed by this sports expert.

The whole business smacks of the throwing of a pop bottle at an umpire's head because the honestly purposed decision of the umpire does not happen to fit in with the ideas of the farther removed bottle slinger.

If, as some prognosticators fear, the next war will be over in one day, the armchair generals will not have much time to take their seats.

There is no way to dodge the inevitable. When our parents stopped spanking us, experience took up the job and is working overtime.

It is hard to borrow money because those who have it have it because they don't lend it.

Now is the time to do Christmas shopping early or late and join the rush.

SINGING CONQUEROR

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

It is a good sign when you hear a workman singing or whistling at his work. Music is a very potent power in the world. What would the circus be to the child without its long parade and its bands? And in war it is the music that inspires courage and increases morale.

I have had a very wonderful woman at my summer camp during the past few years as my helper, friend, and cook. She was forever singing at her work. If the day was dull and rainy, it made no difference. And if she happened to be a little ill some of the days, she sang just the same. Why not? Singing is a most wonderful lifter!

You may recall the story about the king who sent out some of his men to find a contented man, and when they found him, to bring back his shirt that he might wear it and, in turn, be made contented. They went out. They found their man. He was singing along the roadside. He confessed he was absolutely contented, but when they asked him for his shirt he replied that he had none!

Carlyle praised the singing man as the one who did more and better work, for if a man is happy in the thing that he does, it inspires him to sing and to rejoice over the privilege of creating.

I am very fond of hearing the songs of colored people—their plantation songs and their spirituals. There is no singing more inspiring.

Community singing is another inspiring thing. It brings people together. The late Vachel Lindsay, the American poet, devoted his life to the writing of poetry that could be sung. He spent years going about the country trying to get whole communities to sing his songs. He himself was a singing conqueror.

What a debt we owe to these singing conquerors of ours! They put beauty and spiritual vitality into life.

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ABOUT THE ONLY THING READY TO SERVE

THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

Truman Will Reappoint Basil O'Connor as Head of Red Cross, Drew Pearson Says

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—President Truman will reappoint FDR's former law partner, Basil O'Connor, to head the American Red Cross, despite the bitter attacks against O'Connor for co-operating with organized labor . . . Oscar Cox, former assistant solicitor general, has made a bid to buy the Big Inch and Little Inch pipe-lines which carried oil to the Atlantic Seaboard during the war. He wants to pipe natural gas, much of it wasted in Texas, to the Eastern United States. However, John L. Lewis is dead opposed. He doesn't want competition with the coal industry . . . Cox would give each city using the gas a stock ownership in the project. . . . The army is closing twenty separation centers in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, just as discharges are going more smoothly. This is apt to create a new discharge bottleneck just before Christmas. . . . Gen. Eisenhower, now chief of staff, has sent a "for your eyes only" cable to Gen. McNarney, his successor in Europe, ordering him to adhere rigidly to the Roosevelt-Truman policy of a tough peace for Germany. Eisenhower also told McNarney not to get involved in any Allied political arguments. . . . Presidential Aides John Steelman and Judge Sam Roseman were chief authors of President Truman's labor message to Congress. Truman has told friends privately that what he tried to do was put a "ceiling on labor legislation." In other words, if reactionaries in Congress pass legislation stronger than that which he proposed, he will veto it.

Tribute to Old Editor

The other day in New York a man known to almost every newspaper editor in the country, yet almost unknown to the general public, quietly departed the "Merry-Go-Rounds" and the "My Days" he had helped to develop and went on to a more peaceful world.

He was George Carlin, guiding genius of the United Feature Syndicate, who cracked the whip over the greatest conglomeration of star syndicated columnists the world has even seen and who, for better or for worse, served as midwife, patron saint and godfather to this column when it first started, thirteen years ago today.

When I indicate George Carlin was a whip-cracker, perhaps I give the wrong impression. George could and sometimes did crack the whip. But on the whole he was the mildest-mannered man I ever knew. Perhaps that was the secret of his ability to get along with such a motley assortment of performers as Westbrook Pegler, Pearson and Allen, Mrs. Roosevelt, Heywood Broun, Ernie Pyle, Raymond Clapper, Marquis Childs and Tom Stokes.

Outsiders marveled at how one man could keep this circus of trained seals performing in one ring with no visible evidence of cannibalism. Yet he did. He even kept Mrs. Roosevelt happy, while Pegler, in an adjoining column, was holding her feet up to the hot coals almost every other day. In fact, George was the only man I ever knew who could censor and edit the First Lady, yet be invited to the White House continually.

And on those annual occasions when the publishers gathered in New York, Pegler and Mrs. Roosevelt and the rest of us would stand side by side in the receiving line no matter what one had written about the other, to play host to the publishers—all because we loved George Carlin. For no one else would we have done it.

Lived for His Work

A lot of people wondered not only how George kept the peace among his performers, but also how he stood the daily grind of running his far-flung syndicate. For he handled comic strips and all sorts of features. The secret was that George lived for his work. The columnists were his children. They might be problem children, but they were his, and he loved them.

Came the day when his children went off to other things and George, like many parents, wilted. Two of his greatest writers, Ernie Pyle and Ray Clapper, were war casualties. That zestful tilter of lances, Westbrook Pegler, had Roy Howard trouble (Roy was George Carlin's over-all boss on United Features). So did the Merry-Go-Round. We went off to other booking agencies, as had Heywood Broun before us.

Gradually, through no fault of his own, George Carlin's performing circus disintegrated. He took on new performers — top performers — though they didn't snarl so much at each other. Perhaps it was because they didn't cause him as much trouble as his earlier prima donnas, or perhaps it was because he loved his first children best; anyway the excitement, the turmoil, the hurly-burly passed out of George's life.

And the other day he quietly passed on to another world, where I like to think of him with Ray Clapper, Ernie Pyle, and Heywood Broun, pounding out masterpieces for a new public truly appreciative of their great genius, a world free of wars and bloodshed and the puny pettiness of mankind.

Merry-Go-Round

Eric Johnston came within an inch of resigning as president of the United States chamber of commerce over the issue of continued price control. Johnston believes in maintaining price control even beyond June 30 of next year. But, last week, United States chamber of commerce directors voted to issue a blast calling for immediate suspension of price control. Johnston fought it. Finally he won out only after price chief Chester Bowles addressed the board of directors at a hush-hush luncheon in the Hotel Statler. . . . American troops will be kept in China for at least another 100 days, Secretary of State Byrnes told a secret meeting of congressmen including Delacy of Washington, Patterson, Healy and Douglas, of California, and Biemiller, of Wisconsin. Byrnes said about 3,000 Jap soldiers are being shipped home from China daily, with about another 300,000 yet to go. He admitted that American Lend-Lease supplies are still being sent to Chiang Kai-shek to be used in the Chinese civil war. . . . General Eisenhower has approved a directive permitting thousands of starving, persecuted Jewish refugees from Poland to enter the American zone of Germany. Other thousands are flocking to the U. S. Zone from the British area, where the treatment of displaced Nazi victims is still something the British empire should be ashamed of. . . . Pat Hurley's attack on the State department has back-fired so badly that Byrnes and Truman are now reconsidering their entire Chinese policy. Result: General Marshall is going to China with clear-cut orders not to intervene on behalf of the Chungking Government, but rather to put strong pressure on Chungking and the Chinese Communists to get together. Marshall will inform both factions that the United States plans to use every influence to end the Chinese civil war. This is a reversal in fact, though not in name, of administration policy under Hurley.

Gen. Marshall Sits

Gen. Marshall's letters to Governor Dewey regarding the Japanese code were made public only after a stiff protest by Gen. Marshall, who wanted his reference to co-operation with the British withheld. Marshall knew the Russians would read between the lines and figure that we were also intercepting their code messages.

The Pearl Harbor committee met in executive session in Senator Barkley's office to listen to Marshall's plea, but before Marshall could open his mouth, Republican Senator Ferguson, of Michigan, and Democratic Senator Lucas, of Illinois, got up and walked out. Both absolutely refused to listen to Marshall or any other witness in executive session.

"This investigation is strictly an on-the-record public affair," they insisted.

After they left, Senator Brewster, of Maine, proposed that the committee make the sole decision regarding publication of the letters and that Marshall not be permitted to remain. So the former chief of staff went outside and warmed a chair with Ferguson and Lucas in Barkley's outer office.

Only Representatives Clark, of North Carolina, and Murphy, of Pennsylvania, had any doubts about making the entire letters public. They did not insist upon a vote, however, and the committee finally agreed to ignore Marshall's secrecy plea. When the letters were put in the public record, Marshall's pencil marks to indicate what parts he wanted withheld were not left on the text.

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ADOPTS LONE FAWN

A "PASSENGER" aboard the Argentina when it docked in New York was "Buck", a seven-months-old fawn. The animal is shown with Sgt. Earl Shaw, of Wellsboro, Pa., who adopted "Buck" at Hanau, Germany. Shaw said he shot the mother deer while hunting and when he recovered the carcass he found the orphan.

Fate of Smaller Plants Is Viewed As Grave Factor

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—When CIO President Philip Murray sets Jan. 14th next as the date for a strike in the steel, aluminum and iron ore industries, he answers curiously enough a point made by John L. Lewis, who argued that automobile employers could make more money by stopping production than by manufacturing cars.

The point, of course, relates to excess profits taxes which apply to the year 1945's earnings but not to 1946's. During 1945 the rate of taxes is so high that the government in many instances gets eighty per cent of the profits and hence bears eighty per cent of any losses.

Beginning January 1, however, the excess profits tax goes off the statute books, and, since the corporation rate is about forty per cent, the government thereafter bears only forty per cent of the losses and industry bears sixty per cent.

Thus the accusation, so often expressed in labor circles and repeated by John L. Lewis, will vanish into thin air in a few weeks and the nation will find that, so far as bearing the expenses of work stoppages are concerned, industry is on the heavy end and certainly there will be no financial reason for management to tolerate deadlocks in wage negotiations.

Tragic Irresponsibility

The nation has not yet waked up to the true nature of the labor crisis. The employer group thinks, to be sure, it has the labor unions in a tight spot and that if the strikes are prolonged labor will have to yield. The union officials, on the other hand, especially in the larger organizations, are preparing for a long battle and feel they cannot yield. Hence the spectacle of two big economic groups fighting their battles while the American people wait for reconversion to begin is a tragic example of irresponsibility on every side and particularly will this be true of Congress if it remains indifferent.

Even so mild a legislative proposal as fact-finding—which merely endeavors to tell the public the truth about the strike controversies—is bitterly opposed by labor union leaders and by some management spokesmen. In other words, the labor union view is that the American people are not to be permitted to get at the facts to make up their own minds and the issues must not be investigated by impartial bodies.

In Different Boats

What do the labor unions fear? An exposure of the inside of their politics and their claims? And do the management groups fear that perhaps it will be discovered that some can pay increased wages?

There is grave danger, on the other hand, that in the melee some innocent employers, especially in smaller businesses, will suffer. Take, for instance, the business man in a certain segment of the steel industry who writes this correspondent.

"The unions, variously, are demanding thirty per cent increase in pay or $2 per day of twenty-five cents an hour," the correspondent states. "Such an advance in wage rates would increase our annual outlay for wages approximately $985,000. If half the wage increase were granted now, it would result in an outlay of $492,500.

"On the basis of annual sales of $7,500,000, a seven and one half per cent increase in price would yield $562,500. Deduct, if you please, the increased wage bill of $492,500 from the $562,500 increase in sales price and you have a gain of $70,000.

"The gain does not allow anything for increases in cost of raw and other materials, services, etc. Other companies from whom we buy, increasing their wage rates and increasing their prices, soon would wipe out the theoretical gain of $70,00 and leave us with a heavy loss.

Smaller Concerns Would Be Sunk

"Companies that are earning a good profit at the moment might be able to stand an imposition of the higher rates with higher prices, but those with small margins, those breaking even, and those currently showing losses, would be sunk."

The foregoing is an interesting example of the consequences of industrywide bargaining with no allowance or differential for the smaller company. In the end if this course is persisted in, the smaller company goes out of business, employment is decreased and the well-paved road to depression begins to be travelled by suppliers as well as service employees.

A fact-finding tribunal might bring out the truth about such cases and enable the nation to benefit by the continued operation of these small businesses. Clearly the American people are in the dark as to the facts of the labor crisis and if the labor and management partisans have their way, the darkness will be continued while the public interest suffers.

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Ruling by Board On Foremen Is Held Portentous

By MARK SULLIVAN

Last Saturday, the National Labor Relations Board, after some indecision and reversals of attitude, announced its conclusive position about foremen's unions. It decided, in a case before it, that foremen in an industrial plant who organize a union will be recognized by the board as a collective bargaining unit, as provided by the Wagner act. In effect the decision means that a union of foremen shall have the same status as any other labor union.

The decision received little public attention—press and radio last Saturday were crowded with labor news more superficially dramatic, the General Motors strike, President Truman's proposal for fact-finding boards, the threatened steel strike, a dozen others. This inattention to the decision about foremen's unions has a significance of its own. The implications of the decision go deep. Its failure to receive public attention shows how impossible it is for the public to grasp the wide-ranging and complex character of the labor problem as a whole, how little understood are the changes in American life which are being brought about by day-to-day decisions of administrative boards.

Contested by Packard

In the plants of the Packard Motor Company in Detroit the foremen organized a union. They demanded that the company recognize their union as an exclusive bargaining agent for foremen employed by the company, as provided by the Wagner Labor Relations act. The company contested their action, on the ground that foremen are not "labor" but a part of management.

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Presently the foremen, already reduced in authority, saw themselves likewise reduced in relative income and in opportunity to get increases. The psychological change thus brought about led foremen to turn to the idea of organizing unions. And now NLRB makes this the vehicle for the important changes that flow from it.

It Says Here

By BOB HOPE

I am typing this with one hand as I'm using the other to hold the cold compress on my minor lacerations and bruises, incurred while trying to get a train reservation to San Francisco. These days even full-blooded Indians can't get reservations. And I'm sorry I stood in line for four hours with those feathers in my hair.

I have to be in San Francisco on December 16, for a show being sponsored for our war wounded at the Civic auditorium.

I got to tthe station at 1 o'clock and I was very lucky . . . By 3:30 I was inside. There were so many people in the station that three times they had to ask some of them to step outside so there'd be room for the trains to come in.

It was really confusing. As soon as I walked in, a redcap rushed up, fastened a tag on my stomach and said, "which berth do ya want it shoved under?" But people aren't tipping redcaps as much as they used to. I made only forty cents all afternoon.

Everybody's traveling. I saw one woman with so many little kids she had a caddy for the bottles.

Thousands of servicemen, back from the Pacific, are trying to get home for Christmas. When a civilian goes up to the ticket window and says he wants to go East, the clerk just smiles and points to a sign that says, "bicycles for rent!" When I got to the window I decided to throw my weight around. So I yelled for the manager and he helped me throw my weight around. In fact, he threw it clear out in the street. But I'm not worried about getting to San Francisco. It's only 400 miles and I just had the oil changed in my roller skates!

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Republicans Deserve Pantry Victory Credit

LOOKING BACK upon the food rationing program, the "Pittsburgh Press" observes that it must be admitted that America's food producers "did a superb job" and that the rationing system "for all its bobbles and isolated inequities served its purpose pretty well."

This is true, but an important factor in the achievement must not be forgotten. The housewife who is now able to buy food freely albeit not yet in the variable quantity and quality that characterized the pre-war standard of living, can thank Republicans in Congress for the fact that she is not still waiting in line with her books of ration stamps.

Republican initiative secured legislation placing food administration under single agency control. Republican initiative secured an amendment removing the quota restrictions from 15,000 of the nation's slaughterers.

These achievements typify the Republican effort to restore normal functions in food production and marketing as against administration controls and a program of scarcity. The committee isn't through yet. It still functions and will continue to battle for food abundance.

The whole story of the food committee, and its two-year struggle against the New Deal philosophy of scarcity when the nation was urged to contribute its utmost for war, is told in a booklet just issued by the Republican National Committee entitled, "The Story of Wartime Food Mismanagement."

This is a report of Rep. Thomas A. Jenkins (R. Ohio), chairman of the committee. He carried on initial studies until Minority Leader Joseph W. Martin set up the whole committee of forty-five members, covering every phase of production, processing, marketing, distribution and consumption.

The entire operation has been conducted without one cent of cost to the government!

As a result of its exhaustive studies, the compilation of the results of hearings and gathering of reports from all over the nation, it eventually laid bare a picture of bungling, mismanagement, wastage, overlapping and duplicating authority. It told of the sabotage of the national instinct to produce and conserve; it discredited the philosophy of scarcity. It revealed growing black markets. It warned of a sugar shortage early enough to avert trouble in 1944. It goaded, browbeat and hammered away at a recalcitrant administration until the Democrats took notice of the pressing food problems.

Early in 1943, it became apparent that the food picture was dark. The producer was slowed by crippling regulation; the processor was confused and the consumer was usually left empty-handed and resentful as he confronted needless shortages and greedy black marketeers.

Unable to act through Congress, Martin relied upon his own party to set up the food study committee. In May, 1943, it sought to take the food matter out of the hands of conflicting agencies and centralize it. The Democratic chairman of the Agriculture committee of the House, noting how popular the idea was, introduced similar legislation. The administration opposed it and the bill, preceded by high priority legislation, was prevented from being considered on the floor.

The committee battled on. It uncovered the poultry black market on the eastern seaboard. It called attention to the wastage of eggs. Members found potatoes rotting in the fields where subsidies had been paid for bumper production. It found butter turning rancid and sugar spoiling in storage. It called the turn on the pork shortage.

It appealed for correction of the beef situation. When the excuse was offered that shipping facilities were lacking for bringing sugar to this country, a floor speech revealed presence of idle ships in northern ports and within seventy-two hours sixteen were put on a "sugar run" which brought in thousands of tons.

Then came 1945 and the question of extending OPA for another year. Jenkins introduced an amendment removing food from OPA and giving it to the department of Agriculture. Democrats rallied forces and defeated it on a partisan ballot of 198 to 178. However, a less drastic measure, covering principal aims of the Jenkins bill was passed, and the long fight for one-agency control was won.

Clinton P. Anderson was a member of the House then and voted for the amendment but since becoming secretary of agriculture has referred powers granted him in food administration back to OPA. The food study committe prodded him until the slaughterers were freed from restrictions.

The food study committee is probably the only congressional group that ever operated in nearly every state in the union and conducted exhaustive investigations without cost to the government or the people.

Hobbs Anti-Hijacking Bill Should Be Passed

SINCE Congress has apparently made up its mind to enact some needed labor legislation—and it is hoped that in doing so it will find the equitable answers—it should round it out with enactment of the Hobbs anti-hijacking law.

This is a proposed amendment to the federal anti-racketeering act and stipulates that "whoever" obstructs interstate commerce by robbery or extortion shall be held guilty of a felony.

This measure is needed because of a decision handed down in 1912 by the federal supreme court. Union-teamsters had been waylaying out-of-state trucks as they entered New York city and by threats and physical violence compelling the truckers to pay a day's wages to local union drivers whose services were neither wanted nor needed. In some cases the local drivers, after collecting the tribute, failed to do any work for it. The added unnecessary costs, of course, have passed on to the public.

All these facts were proved in a federal district court whence it went on appeal to the supreme court. There it was held that Congress had not meant the anti-racketering act to punish such conduct by a labor union or its members. In dissent, Chief Justice Stone protested that the reasoning of the decision "would render common law robbery an innocent pastime," and Justice Byrnes, then on the bench and who wrote the decision, observed that it did not place such activities "beyond the reach of federal legislative control."

That was a plain invitation to Congress to enact such legislation as represented by the Hobbs bill, which would apply to all hijackers alike. The invitation was accepted in the House and it passed the Hobbs bill the following April by a vote of 270 to 107, but unfortunately a companion bill was smothered in a Senate committee and it died for that session. Now the Hobbs measure has been revived in the House and is scheduled for early action. It will in all probability be again enacted there. No companion bill has as yet been introduced in the Senate, but one ought to be and the Senate should follow the house action.

This measure is not an anti-labor bill as some union lobbyists would have it believed. It would help honest unionism by bringing a reprehensible species of racketeering and violence within the pale of the law. Honest workers do not need that sort of thing and are not entitled to it if they did. It is a simple measure to protect the honest worker and the public.

That Resolution Against Mr. Burns

IT STRIKES THIS NEWSPAPER that the certain members of Fort Cumberland Post, No. 13, of the American Legion involved have gone off half-cocked in causing adoption of a resolution condemning Clarence V. "Jiggs" Burns, sports expert and editor, and asking for his resignation as Cumberland boxing commissioner of the Amateur Athletic Union with notification thereof to the state AAU. It does not believe this represents the dispassioned sentiment of the whole post membership.

Mr. Burns has made a manly reply to this ill-considered move, which was prompted by his approval of Bobby Shrout's application for a license to romote amateur boxing tournaments this week at SS. Peter and Paul school gym. He declares his intention of acting without any discrimination whatsoever in deciding on any individual or organization that may desire to stage amateur boxing shows here "as long as their past record in boxing is satisfactory."

This newspaper believes Mr. Burns, in whose integrity it has implicit confidence, as witnesseth his long employment by this newspaper, acted in this case in accordance with independent and unbiased judgment, and it cannot see wherein the Legion post protestants have any just ground, aside from possible personal predilections, for what appears to be snap judgment against him.

It is the opinion of this newspaper that Mr. Burns, in his capacity as boxing commissioner, acted rightly. But, granted for purpose of argument that he may have been wrong in this decision, surely his splendid record of impartiality built up over the years and his established integrity should give him the benefit of an honest error of judgment instead of a sudden pot-shot attack, which this newspaper believes the Legion post will regret as something which tends to impair the high standards set and followed by the AAU and conscientiously observed and followed by this sports expert.

The whole business smacks of the throwing of a pop bottle at an umpire's head because the honestly purposed decision of the umpire does not happen to fit in with the ideas of the farther removed bottle slinger.

If, as some prognosticators fear, the next war will be over in one day, the armchair generals will not have much time to take their seats.

There is no way to dodge the inevitable. When our parents stopped spanking us, experience took up the job and is working overtime.

It is hard to borrow money because those who have it have it because they don't lend it.

Now is the time to do Christmas shopping early or late and join the rush.

SINGING CONQUEROR

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

It is a good sign when you hear a workman singing or whistling at his work. Music is a very potent power in the world. What would the circus be to the child without its long parade and its bands? And in war it is the music that inspires courage and increases morale.

I have had a very wonderful woman at my summer camp during the past few years as my helper, friend, and cook. She was forever singing at her work. If the day was dull and rainy, it made no difference. And if she happened to be a little ill some of the days, she sang just the same. Why not? Singing is a most wonderful lifter!

You may recall the story about the king who sent out some of his men to find a contented man, and when they found him, to bring back his shirt that he might wear it and, in turn, be made contented. They went out. They found their man. He was singing along the roadside. He confessed he was absolutely contented, but when they asked him for his shirt he replied that he had none!

Carlyle praised the singing man as the one who did more and better work, for if a man is happy in the thing that he does, it inspires him to sing and to rejoice over the privilege of creating.

I am very fond of hearing the songs of colored people—their plantation songs and their spirituals. There is no singing more inspiring.

Community singing is another inspiring thing. It brings people together. The late Vachel Lindsay, the American poet, devoted his life to the writing of poetry that could be sung. He spent years going about the country trying to get whole communities to sing his songs. He himself was a singing conqueror.

What a debt we owe to these singing conquerors of ours! They put beauty and spiritual vitality into life.

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ABOUT THE ONLY THING READY TO SERVE

THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

Truman Will Reappoint Basil O'Connor as Head of Red Cross, Drew Pearson Says

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—President Truman will reappoint FDR's former law partner, Basil O'Connor, to head the American Red Cross, despite the bitter attacks against O'Connor for co-operating with organized labor. . . . Oscar Cox, former assistant solicitor general, has made a bid to buy the Big Inch and Little Inch pipe-lines which carried oil to the Atlantic Seaboard during the war. He wants to pipe natural gas, much of it wasted in Texas, to the Eastern United States. However, John L. Lewis is dead opposed. He doesn't want competition with the coal industry. . . . Cox would give each city using the gas a stock ownership in the project. . . . The army is closing twenty separation centers in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, just as discharges are going more smoothly. This is apt to create a new discharge bottleneck just before Christmas. . . . Gen. Eisenhower, now chief of staff, has sent a "for your eyes only" cable to Gen. McNarney, his successor in Europe, ordering him to adhere rigidly to the Roosevelt-Truman policy of a tough peace for Germany. Eisenhower also told McNarney not to get involved in any Allied political arguments. . . . Presidential Aides John Steelman and Judge Sam Roseman were chief authors of President Truman's labor message to Congress. Truman has told friends privately that what he tried to do was put a "ceiling on labor legislation." In other words, if reactionaries in Congress pass legislation stronger than that which he proposed, he will veto it.

Tribute to Old Editor

The other day in New York a man known to almost every newspaper editor in the country, yet almost unknown to the general public, quietly departed the "Merry-Go-Rounds" and the "My Days" he had helped to develop and went on to a more peaceful world.

He was George Carlin, guiding genius of the United Feature Syndicate, who cracked the whip over the greatest conglomeration of star syndicated columnists the world has even seen and who, for better or for worse, served as midwife, patron saint and godfather to this column when it first started, thirteen years ago today.

When I indicate George Carlin was a whip-cracker, perhaps I give the wrong impression. George could and sometimes did crack the whip. But on the whole he was the mildest-mannered man I ever knew. Perhaps that was the secret of his ability to get along with such a motley assortment of performers as Westbrook Pegler, Pearson and Allen, Mrs. Roosevelt, Heywood Broun, Ernie Pyle, Raymond Clapper, Marquis Childs and Tom Stokes.

Outsiders marveled at how one man could keep this circus of trained seals performing in one ring with no visible evidence of cannibalism. Yet he did. He even kept Mrs. Roosevelt happy, while Pegler, in an adjoining column, was holding her feet up to the hot coals almost every other day. In fact, George was the only man I ever knew who could censor and edit the First Lady, yet be invited to the White House continually.

And on those annual occasions when the publishers gathered in New York, Pegler and Mrs. Roosevelt and the rest of us would stand side by side in the receiving line no matter what one had written about the other, to play host to the publishers—all because we loved George Carlin. For no one else would we have done it.

Lived for His Work

A lot of people wondered not only how George kept the peace among his performers, but also how he stood the daily grind of running his far-flung syndicate. For he handled comic strips and all sorts of features. The secret was that George lived for his work. The columnists were his children. They might be problem children, but they were his, and he loved them.

Came the day when his children went off to other things and George, like many parents, wilted. Two of his greatest writers, Ernie Pyle and Ray Clapper, were war casualties. That zestful tilter of lances, Westbrook Pegler, had Roy Howard trouble (Roy was George Carlin's over-all boss on United Features). So did the Merry-Go-Round. We went off to other booking agencies, as had Heywood Broun before us.

Gradually, through no fault of his own, George Carlin's performing circus disintegrated. He took on new performers — top performers — though they didn't snarl so much at each other. Perhaps it was because they didn't cause him as much trouble as his earlier prima donnas, or perhaps it was because he loved his first children best; anyway the excitement, the turmoil, the hurly-burly passed out of George's life.

And the other day he quietly passed on to another world, where I like to think of him with Ray Clapper, Ernie Pyle, and Heywood Broun, pounding out masterpieces for a new public truly appreciative of their great genius, a world free of wars and bloodshed and the puny pettiness of mankind.

Merry-Go-Round

Eric Johnston came within an inch of resigning as president of the United States chamber of commerce over the issue of continued price control. Johnston believes in maintaining price control even beyond June 30 of next year. But, last week, United States chamber of commerce directors voted to issue a blast calling for immediate suspension of price control. Johnston fought it. Finally he won out only after price chief Chester Bowles addressed the board of directors at a hush-hush luncheon in the Hotel Statler. . . . American troops will be kept in China for at least another 100 days. Secretary of State Byrnes told a secret meeting of congressmen including Delacy of Washington, Patterson, Healy and Douglas, of California, and Biemiller, of Wisconsin. Byrnes said about 3,000 Jap soldiers are being shipped home from China daily, with about another 300,000 yet to go. He admitted that American Lend-Lease supplies are still being sent to Chiang Kai-shek to be used in the Chinese civil war. . . . General Eisenhower has approved a directive permitting thousands of starving, persecuted Jewish refugees from Poland to enter the American zone of Germany. Other thousands are flocking to the U. S. Zone from the British area, where the treatment of displaced Nazi victims is still something the British empire should be ashamed of. . . . Pat Hurley's attack on the State department has back-fired so badly that Byrnes and Truman are now reconsidering their entire Chinese policy. Result: General Marshall is going to China with clear-cut orders not to intervene on behalf of the Chungking Government, but rather to put strong pressure on Chungking and the Chinese Communists to get together. Marshall will inform both factions that the United States plans to use every influence to end the Chinese civil war. This is a reversal in fact, though not in name, of administration policy under Hurley.

Gen. Marshall Sits

Gen. Marshall's letters to Governor Dewey regarding the Japanese code were made public only after a stiff protest by Gen. Marshall, who wanted his reference to co-operation with the British withheld. Marshall knew the Russians would read between the lines and figure that we were also intercepting their code messages.

The Pearl Harbor committee met in executive session in Senator Barkley's office to listen to Marshall's plea, but before Marshall could open his mouth, Republican Senator Ferguson, of Michigan, and Democratic Senator Lucas, of Illinois, got up and walked out. Both absolutely refused to listen to Marshall or any other witness in executive session.

"This investigation is strictly an on-the-record public affair," they insisted.

After they left, Senator Brewster, of Maine, proposed that the committee make the sole decision regarding publication of the letters and that Marshall not be permitted to remain. So the former chief of staff went outside and warmed a chair with Ferguson and Lucas in Barkley's outer office.

Only Representatives Clark, of North Carolina, and Murphy, of Pennsylvania, had any doubts about making the entire letters public. They did not insist upon a vote, however, and the committee finally agreed to ignore Marshall's secrecy plea. When the letters were put in the public record, Marshall's pencil marks to indicate what parts he wanted withheld were not left on the text.

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ADOPTS LONE FAWN

A "PASSENGER" aboard the Argentina when it docked in New York was "Buck", a seven-months-old fawn. The animal is shown with Sgt. Earl Shaw, of Wellsboro, Pa., who adopted "Buck" at Hanau, Germany. Shaw said he shot the mother deer while hunting and when he recovered the carcass he found the orphan.

Fate of Smaller Plants Is Viewed As Grave Factor

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—When CIO President Philip Murray sets Jan. 14th next as the date for a strike in the steel, aluminum and iron ore industries, he answers curiously enough a point made by John L. Lewis, who argued that automobile employers could make more money by stopping production than by manufacturing cars.

The point, of course, relates to excess profits taxes which apply to the year 1945's earnings but not to 1946's. During 1945 the rate of taxes is so high that the government in many instances gets eighty per cent of the profits and hence bears eighty per cent of any losses.

Beginning January 1, however, the excess profits tax goes off the statute books, and, since the corporation rate is about forty per cent, the government thereafter bears only forty per cent of the losses and industry bears sixty per cent.

Thus the accusation, so often expressed in labor circles and repeated by John L. Lewis, will vanish into thin air in a few weeks and the nation will find that, so far as bearing the expenses of work stoppages are concerned, industry is on the heavy end and certainly there will be no financial reason for management to tolerate deadlocks in wage negotiations.

Tragic Irresponsibility

The nation has not yet waked up to the true nature of the labor crisis. The employer group thinks, to be sure, it has the labor unions in a tight spot and that if the strikes are prolonged labor will have to yield. The union officials, on the other hand, especially in the larger organizations, are preparing for a long battle and feel they cannot yield. Hence the spectacle of two big economic groups fighting their battles while the American people wait for reconversion to begin is a tragic example of irresponsibility on every side and particularly will this be true of Congress if it remains indifferent.

Even so mild a legislative proposal as fact-finding—which merely endeavors to tell the public the truth about the strike controversies—is bitterly opposed by labor union leaders and by some management spokesmen. In other words, the labor union view is that the American people are not to be permitted to get at the facts to make up their own minds and the issues must not be investigated by impartial bodies.

In Different Boats

What do the labor unions fear? An exposure of the inside of their politics and their claims? And do the management groups fear that perhaps it will be discovered that some can pay increased wages?

There is grave danger, on the other hand, that in the melee some innocent employers, especially in smaller businesses, will suffer. Take, for instance, the business man in a certain segment of the steel industry who writes this correspondent.

"The unions, variously, are demanding thirty per cent increase in pay or $2 per day of twenty-five cents an hour," the correspondent states. "Such an advance in wage rates would increase our annual outlay for wages approximately $985,000. If half the wage increase were granted now, it would result in an outlay of $492,500.

"On the basis of annual sales of $7,500,000, a seven and one half per cent increase in price would yield $562,500. Deduct, if you please, the increased wage bill of $492,500 from the $562,500 increase in sales price and you have a gain of $70,000.

"The gain does not allow anything for increases in cost of raw and other materials, services, etc. Other companies from whom we buy, increasing their wage rates and increasing their prices, soon would wipe out the theoretical gain of $70,00 and leave us with a heavy loss.

Smaller Concerns Would Be Sunk

"Companies that are earning a good profit at the moment might be able to stand an imposition of the higher rates with higher prices, but those with small margins, those breaking even, and those currently showing losses, would be sunk."

The foregoing is an interesting example of the consequences of industrywide bargaining with no allowance or differential for the smaller company. In the end if this course is persisted in, the smaller company goes out of business, employment is decreased and the well-paved road to depression begins to be travelled by suppliers as well as service employees.

A fact-finding tribunal might bring out the truth about such cases and enable the nation to benefit by the continued operation of these small businesses. Clearly the American people are in the dark as to the facts of the labor crisis and if the labor and management partisans have their way, the darkness will be continued while the public interest suffers.

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Ruling by Board On Foremen Is Held Portentous

By MARK SULLIVAN

Last Saturday, the National Labor Relations Board, after some indecision and reversals of attitude, announced its conclusive position about foremen's unions. It decided, in a case before it, that foremen in an industrial plant who organize a union will be recognized by the board as a collective bargaining unit, as provided by the Wagner act. In effect the decision means that a union of foremen shall have the same status as any other labor union.

The decision received little public attention—press and radio last Saturday were crowded with labor news more superficially dramatic, the General Motors strike, President Truman's proposal for fact-finding boards, the threatened steel strike, a dozen others. This inattention to the decision about foremen's unions has a significance of its own. The implications of the decision go deep. Its failure to receive public attention shows how impossible it is for the public to grasp the wide-ranging and complex character of the labor problem as a whole, how little understood are the changes in American life which are being brought about by day-to-day decisions of administrative boards.

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I got to tthe station at 1 o'clock and I was very lucky . . . By 3:30 I was inside. There were so many people in the station that three times they had to ask some of them to step outside so there'd be room for the trains to come in.

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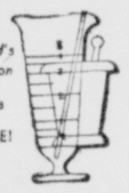

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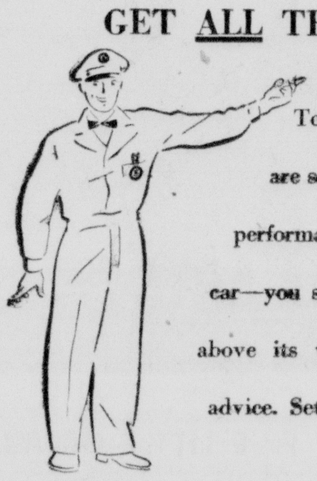

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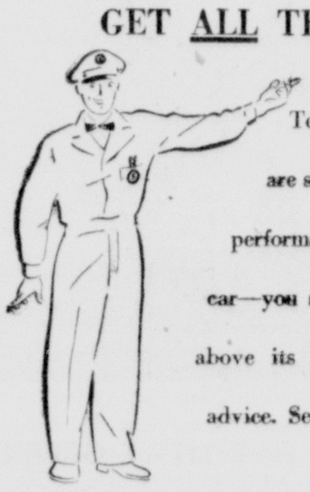
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Final plans were discussed at the meeting last evening at the Y with Mrs. Helen Russell, advisor, presiding. The holiday theme will be carried out in the decorations with evergreens and crepe paper streamers.

Wanda Parsons is chairman of the dance committee; she is being assisted by Betty May, ticket chairman; Nellie Mock, publicity; Virginia Sittig, decorations and Wilma King, soft drinks.

Tentative plans were also formulated for other social activities for January and February. It was also decided to attend in a group, the evening service at the United Brethren church December 23, when a Christmas program will be given.

As a philantropic project for Christmas, the club decided to have the thirty-five members present a white basket of food to the Associated Charities at Christmas time. The club sponsored a Thanksgiving basket from Fort Hill.

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A musical program featured the entertainment. It included solos of "Gesu Bambino," Pietro A Yon and "Wonderful Baby Jesus," Ronner, sung by Miss Margaret Jones, Frostburg, soprano; and Miss Datha Thomas, violinist, played "Largo" Handel; and "O Holy Night," Adam. Both were accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Lillian Spier Stewart. The group singing of carols was led and accompanied by Mrs. Betty Winter.

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Travelers Aid Society Receives Report

The Travelers Aid Society, one of the agencies of the Community Chest, met yesterday afternoon at Central YMCA with Mrs. William McLean presiding.

Mrs. M. J. Fleming gave her monthly report, which included eighteen contacts; eighteen investigations; twenty-one meals; twelve lodges; three transportations; two wires; six letters; four visits; clothing to four and shoes to one.

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The Women's Missionary Circle of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Howard Graham, 8 Millman place, this evening.

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Mrs. Harold Everline was leader and her topic was, "Thy Kingdom Come on Earth, Through a World Wide Christian Fellowship." The program opened with the group singing of carols, with Mrs. H. L. Nesbit at the piano and Mrs. R. C. Isiminger playing the violin.

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Stories of various carols were told with Mrs. Edward Shaffer giving the account of "Away in the Manger," after which it was sung by Betty Grove; Mrs. Arthur Brotemarkle, "Silent Night," with Mrs. Ivan Dewitt and Mrs. Curtis Bloss singing it as a duet with piano and violin accompanyment; Mrs. Roy Whitman gave, "O Come All Ye Faithful," and the entire assembly sang the hymn.

Mrs. H. C. Trenton told of how the "Jews dared to be true when persecuted in Nazi Germany," and Mrs. Melva Rider, of the persecution of them in Norway.

A visit by Santa, impersonated by Mrs. Herbert Bittinger, featured the party and distributed gifts to each of the twenty-five members and five visitors, after which refreshments were served.

An executive meeting will be held at 2:30 o'clock December 16 at the home of Mrs. Barnett and the next regular meeting will be held January 8 at the home of Mrs. T. L. Groves, Bowling Green.

Mary Jean Scott Heads WSCS Group

Group No. 6 of the Women's Society of Christian Service of Central Methodist church elected officers for the ensuing year at the meeting earlier in the week at the home of Miss Virginia Cunningham, Independence street.

Those to serve for the year are Miss Mary Jean Scott, president; Miss Virginia Miller, vice president; Miss Joy Largent, secretary; Miss Betty Jean Kight, treasurer; and Miss Virginia Cunningham, assistant secretary.

The devotional was given by Miss Virginia Cunningham and the Christmas story was told by Mrs. Virgil Eackles. Christmas presents were exchanged and new "sassy sister" names were chosen. The group discussed possibilities of a Christmas party, and caroling.

VFW Auxiliary To Distribute Yule Greetings to Vets

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Henry Hart Post, No. 1411, Veterans of Foreign Wars will purchase $160 worth of Christmas cards to distribute to the convalescing veterans at Newton D. Baker hospital. Plans were formulated at the meeting and Christmas party of the auxiliary Tuesday evening, following a report by Mrs. Alice Miller that the amount had been realized at the dinner held recently. Mrs. Grace Bosenburg and her committee will make the presentation in person, December 16, according to plans.

Mrs. Grace Stemple presided and welcomed three new members, Mrs. Eleanor McCreery, Mrs. Ada Smith and Mrs. Lacy Welch.

S. Sgt. Kenneth Campbell and S. Sgt. Lyle Howdyshell, recently released prisoners of the Japanese were honored at the Christmas party following. Each was presented with a Parker fountain pen. One was also given to Mrs. P. W. Burns, for her son T. Sgt. Virgil Burns, a prisoner of the Japs for three years, who was unable to attend.

Miniature Christmas trees, lighted candles and Yuletide favors decorated the tables. Jingle gifts were exchanged and club sisters revealed. Mrs. Helene Bujac was chairman of refreshments assisted by Mrs. Emma McCoy, Mrs. Violet Karns, Mrs. Chloe Reynolds, Mrs. Pauline Smith, Mrs. Bertha Scollick, Mrs. Mary Simons, Mrs. Naomi Judy, Mrs. Pearl Beckman, Mrs. Pauline Bloom, Mrs. Susie Davis, Mrs. Ethel Leonard and Mrs. Ethel Wilkinson.

Valley Road Club Holds Yule Party

The Valley Road Homemakers Club had a "Christmas Past, Present and Future," as the feature of its annual Christmas party held recently in the Girl Scout little house, with Mrs. E. O. Fritch presiding.

Mrs. H. E. Hite, first president, told of the club's first Christmas party twenty years ago, which was attended by five members, compared to the seventy at this year's celebration. Mrs. J. J. Lydinger, Mrs. W. L. Maddicks, Mrs. Elsie Kilroy, Mrs. H. T. Henry, Mrs. John Liebau and Mrs. Fritch, other presidents, each told of the party during her term of office.

Christmas carols were sung by the group with Mrs. George A. Kraft leading and Mrs. F. A. Perdew at the piano and Mrs. R. C. Isiminger, the violin. The latter also played a medley of carols as a solo.

Miniature crochet baskets filled with red and green wool flowers, decorated the Christmas tree and were presented to each member by Mrs. John S. Cook, portraying Santa. They were made by Mrs. Fritch, who received a gift from the club in appreciation of her service.

Tea and fruitcake were served by a committee composed of Mrs. Ray Kagel, Mrs. J. J. Tipton and Mrs. Ira Vandegrift. The club voted to meet in the little house each month.

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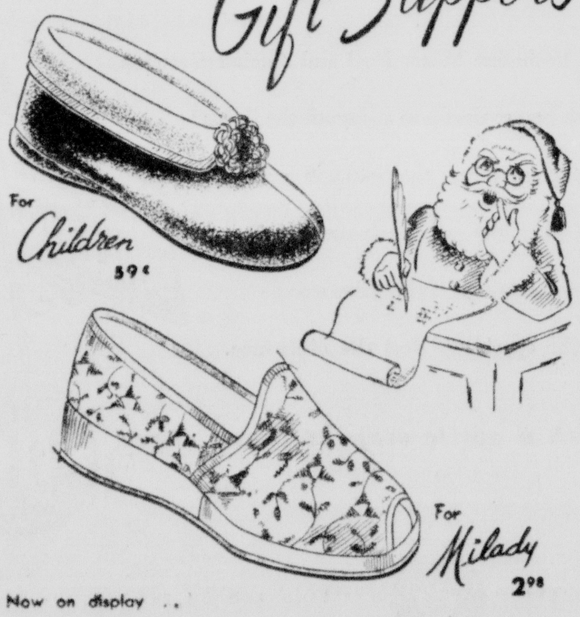

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The ceremony was solemnized in the parsonage of the Cresaptown Methodist church, with the Rev. Louis P. Chastain, pastor, officiating. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Flanagan, Rawlings, brother-in-law and sister of the bridegroom.

The bride was attired in a pink wool dress embroidered in white, with which she wore white accessories.

Prior to her recent resignation the bride was employed by a dry cleaning plant in Grand Island, Neb. She will remain with the parents of the bridegroom, until he receives his discharge from the navy, which is expected about the first of the year.

Seaman Grogg has been in the navy for over two years serving in the Southwest Pacific, he has been stationed at Okinawa and the Philippines. For the past thirty days he has been on furlough from Oceanside, Calif., and will report to Washington, D. C. today.

St. Paul's Ladies Aid To Have Yule Party Dec. 19

The Ladies Aid Society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold a Christmas party following the regular meeting December 19, which will begin at 7:30 o'clock in the parish house, with Mrs. H. T. Bowersox presiding.

Officers for the ensuing year will be elected during the business session. Installation will be held in January.

A Christmas comedy, under the direction of Mrs. James Orr, will feature the entertainment at the party. There will also be group singing of carols and each member is asked to bring a jingle gift to exchange. The holiday motif will be carried out in the decorations and refreshments will be served.

The committee on arrangements includes Mrs. Clarence Brotemakle, Mrs. George Seibert, Mrs. George Herpich and Mrs. Samuel Gleichman.

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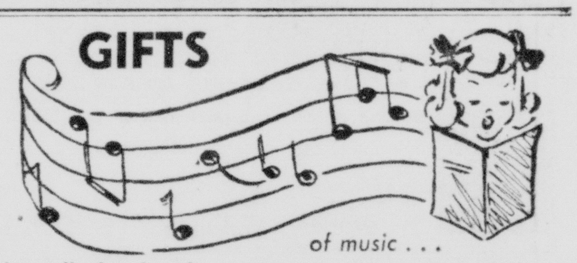
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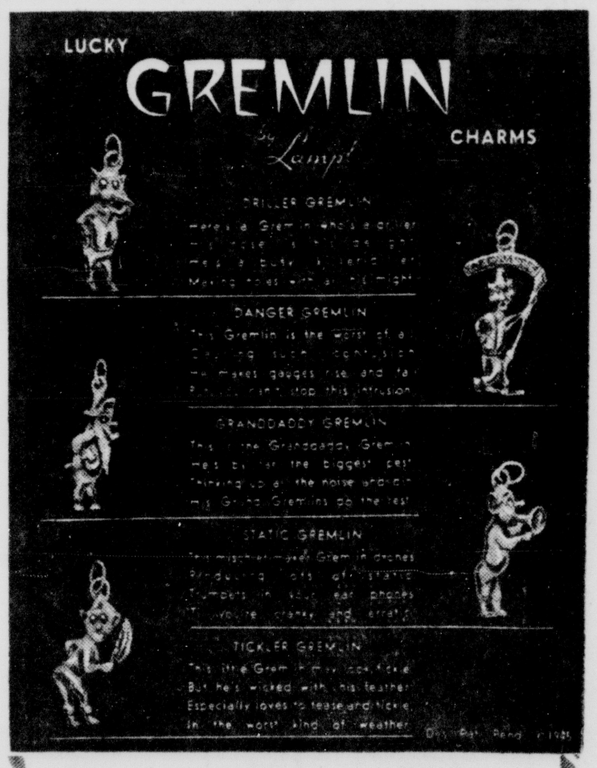

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Final plans were discussed at the meeting last evening at the Y with Mrs. Helen Russell, advisor, presiding. The holiday theme will be carried out in the decorations with evergreens and crepe paper streamers.

Wanda Parsons is chairman of the dance committee; she is being assisted by Betty May, ticket chairman; Nellie Mock, publicity; Virginia Sittig, decorations and Wilma King, soft drinks.

Tentative plans were also formulated for other social activities for January and February. It was also decided to attend in a group, the evening service at the United Brethren church December 23, when a Christmas program will be given.

As a philantrophic project for Christmas, the club decided to have the thirty-five members present a white basket of food to the Associated Charities at Christmas time. The club sponsored a Thanksgiving basket from Fort Hill.

B and P Women Hold Yuletime Party-Program

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Mrs. Florence Blackwell was in charge of the decorations of the room, which was festive with red candles, pine and poinsettas at various places around the room. A miniature sleigh and reindeer and candelabra of tall red tapers centered the dinner table. The gifts for children of all ages and those for the club members were piled under a large Christmas tree, standing in one corner of the room.

A musical program featured the entertainment. It included solos of "Gesu Bambino," Pietro A Yon and "Wonderful Baby Jesus," Ronner, sung by Miss Margaret Jones, Frostburg, soprano; and Miss Datha Thomas, violinist, played "Largo" Handel; and "O Holy Night," Adam. Both were accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Lillian Spier Stewart. The group singing of carols was led and accompanied by Mrs. Betty Winter.

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The YuHoodi Club will meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. Lee Ann Callis, Pleasant View, Williams road.

Circle No. 3 of St. Luke's Lutheran church will hold its annual Christmas party and dinner at 5:30 o'clock this evening at Central YMCA.

The WSCS of Corriganville Methodist church will meet at the parsonage in Ellerslie at 7:30 o'clock this evening. After the meeting an exchange of gifts will be held and singing of carols.

Women of the Moose, Chapter 914, will meet at 8 o'clock this evening. The senior regent requests officers and their escorts wear street length dresses.

The WSCS of First Methodist church will hold a jingle party at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the church. Members of all circles are urged to attend. A musical program will be held. Mrs. George Sullivan will be in charge.

Allegany County War Memorial committee will meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at the office of John Park, Clark-Keating building.

The Dawson WSCS will hold a jingle party at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the home of Pauline Kitzmiller. Secret sisters will exchange gifts.

The Ladies Auxiliary of LaVale Firemen will hold a banquet at 6:30 o'clock Saturday evening. Officers will be installed and a jingle party will be held.

The Pierce-Demong Circle of the First Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. George Buchanan, The Dingle, at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The Haas-Kellough Circle of the First Presbyterian church will meet at the church house at 7:45 o'clock this evening for a Christmas party.

The First Baptist Pilgrims will meet at the church this afternoon directly after school, with them Mrs. Glenmore Rice, Mrs. William O'Neal, Mrs. Earle Gross and Mrs. Gilbert Markwood.

The Women's Missionary Circle of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Howard Graham, 8 Millman place, this evening.

The Consolidated Orchard Company will hold a square dance this evening in the company store room, Paw Paw.

Members of the VFW Auxiliary wishing to go to Newton D. Baker hospital, December 16, must call for reservations with Mrs. Grace Stemple by 7 o'clock tomorrow evening.

The Spring Gap Homemakers Club will be guests of Mrs. John Hixson and Mrs. Richard Hixson, this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the community center for a Christmas party.

The Happy Valley Homemakers Club will meet at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the fire hall, Valley road. A jingle party will conclude the meeting.

The Past Presidents Club of the VFW Auxiliary will hold a Christmas party this evening with Mrs. Elsie Kilroy chairman.

The Cumberland Camera Club will hold a semi-formal dance this evening from 9 to 1 o'clock at the Clary Club.

LaSalle seniors will hold a skating party this evening at Crystal park, proceeds for the junior-senior prom.

Vera Blinn To Give For Missionaries In Philippines

The Vera Blinn Missionary Society voted as a project to send a contribution to a missionary family in the Philippines. Plans were formulated at the meeting and Christmas program held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Nina Barnett, Roberts terrace, with Mrs. H. J. Rowley assistant hostess.

Mrs. Harold Everline was leader and her topic was, "Thy Kingdom Come on Earth, Through a World Wide Christian Fellowship." The program opened with the group singing of carols, with Mrs. H. L. Nesbit at the piano and Mrs. R. C. Isiminger playing the violin.

Joyce Everline gave a Scripture reading of the Christmas story and prayer was offered by Mrs. Roland Newcomber. Mrs. Jane Deffenbaugh read a poem, "Everywhere, Everywhere Christmas Tonight."

Stories of various carols were told with Mrs. Edward Shaffer giving the account of "Away in the Manger," after which it was sung by Betty Grove; Mrs. Arthur Brotemarkle, "Silent Night," with Mrs. Ivan Dewitt and Mrs. Curtis Bloss singing it as a duet with piano and violin accompanyment; Mrs. Roy Whitman gave, "O Come All Ye Faithful," and the entire assembly sang the hymn.

Mrs. H. C. Trenton told of how the "Jews dared to be true when persecuted in Nazi Germany," and Mrs. Melva Rider, of the persecution of them in Norway.

A visit by Santa, impersonated by Mrs. Herbert Bittinger, featured the party and distributed gifts to each of the twenty-five members and five visitors, after which refreshments were served.

An executive meeting will be held at 2:30 o'clock December 16 at the home of Mrs. Barnett and the next regular meeting will be held January 8 at the home of Mrs. T. L. Groves, Bowling Green.

Mary Jean Scott Heads WSCS Group

Group No. 6 of the Women's Society of Christian Service of Central Methodist church elected officers for the ensuing year at the meeting earlier in the week at the home of Miss Virginia Cunningham, Independence street.

Those to serve for the year are Miss Mary Jean Scott, president; Miss Virginia Miller, vice president; Miss Joy Largent, secretary; Miss Betty Jean Kight, treasurer; and Miss Virginia Cunningham, assistant secretary.

The devotional was given by Miss Virginia Cunningham and the Christmas story was told by Mrs. Virgil Eackles. Christmas presents were exchanged and new "sassy sister" names were chosen. The group discussed possibilities of a Christmas part, and caroling.

VFW Auxiliary To Distribute Yule Greetings to Vets

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Henry Hart Post, No. 1411, Veterans of Foreign Wars will purchase $160 worth of Christmas cards to distribute to the convalescing veterans at Newton D. Baker hospital. Plans were formulated at the meeting and Christmas party of the auxiliary Tuesday evening, following a report by Mrs. Alice Miller that the amount had been realized at the dinner held recently. Mrs. Grace Bosenburg and her committee will make the presentation in person, December 16, according to plans.

Mrs. Grace Stemple presided and welcomed three new members, Mrs. Eleanor McCreery, Mrs. Ada Smith and Mrs. Lacy Welch.

S. Sgt. Kenneth Campbell and S. Sgt. Lyle Howdyshell, recently released prisoners of the Japanese were honored at the Christmas party following. Each was presented with a Parker fountain pen. One was also given to Mrs. P. W. Burns, for her son T. Sgt. Virgil Burns, a prisoner of the Japs for three years, who was unable to attend.

Miniature Christmas trees, lighted candles and Yuletide favors decorated the tables. Jingle gifts were exchanged and club sisters revealed. Mrs. Helene Bujac was chairman of refreshments assisted by Mrs. Emma McCoy, Mrs. Violet Karns, Mrs. Chloe Reynolds, Mrs. Pauline Smith, Mrs. Bertha Scollick, Mrs. Mary Simons, Mrs. Naomi Judy, Mrs. Pearl Beckman, Mrs. Pauline Bloom, Mrs. Susie Davis, Mrs. Ethel Leonard and Mrs. Ethel Wilkinson.

Valley Road Club Holds Yule Party

The Valley Road Homemakers Club had a "Christmas Past, Present and Future," as the feature of its annual Christmas party held recently in the Girl Scout little house, with Mrs. E. O. Fritch presiding.

Mrs. H. E. Hite, first president, told of the club's first Christmas party twenty years ago, which was attended by five members, compared to the seventy at this year's celebration. Mrs. J. J. Lydinger, Mrs. W. L. Maddicks, Mrs. Elsie Kilroy, Mrs. H. T. Henry, Mrs. John Liebau and Mrs. Fritch, other presidents, each told of the party during her term of office.

Christmas carols were sung by the group with Mrs. George A. Kraft leading and Mrs. F. A. Perdew at the piano and Mrs. R. C. Isiminger, the violin. The latter also played a medley of carols as a solo.

Miniature crochet baskets filled with red and green wool flowers, decorated the Christmas tree and were presented to each member by Mrs. John S. Cook, portraying Santa. They were made by Mrs. Fritch, who received a gift from the club in appreciation of her service.

Tea and fruitcake were served by a committee composed of Mrs. Ray Kagel, Mrs. J. J. Tipton and Mrs. Ira Vandegrift. The club voted to meet in the little house each month.

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Luther W. Grogg SC 3-c Weds Ruth Ellen Brown

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Miss Ruth Ellen Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Brown, Loup City, Neb., became the bride of Luther Walter Grogg, SC 3-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Grogg, Rawlings, December 3.

The ceremony was solemnized in the parsonage of the Cresaptown Methodist church, with the Rev. Louis P. Chastain, pastor, officiating. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Flanagan, Rawlings, brother-in-law and sister of the bridegroom.

The bride was attired in a pink wool dress embroidered in white, with which she wore white accessories.

Prior to her recent resignation the bride was employed by a dry cleaning plant in Grand Island, Neb. She will remain with the parents of the bridegroom, until he receives his discharge from the navy, which is expected about the first of the year.

Seaman Grogg has been in the navy for over two years serving in the Southwest Pacific, he has been stationed at Okinawa and the Philippines. For the past thirty days he has been on furlough from Oceanside, Calif., and will report to Washington, D. C. today.

St. Paul's Ladies Aid To Have Yule Party Dec. 19

The Ladies Aid Society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold a Christmas party following the regular meeting December 19, which will begin at 7:30 o'clock in the parish house, with Mrs. H. T. Bowersox presiding.

Officers for the ensuing year will be elected during the business session. Installation will be held in January.

A Christmas comedy, under the direction of Mrs. James Orr, will feature the entertainment at the party. There will also be group singing of carols and each member is asked to bring a jingle gift to exchange. The holiday motif will be carried out in the decorations and refreshments will be served.

The committee on arrangements includes Mrs. Clarence Brotemakle, Mrs. George Seibert, Mrs. George Herpich and Mrs. Samuel Gleichman.

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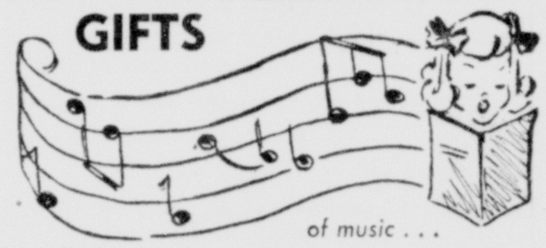
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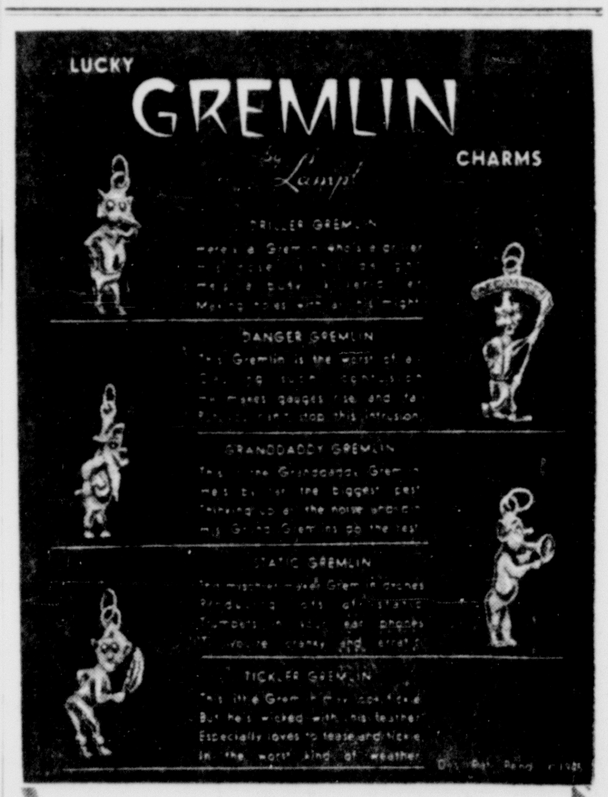

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Ralph Edgar Miller, Johnstown, Pa., and Thelma Catherine Risban, Johnstown, Pa.

George Cobelle Kirchner, Jr., and Wanda Lorraine Hahn, Meyersdale, Pa.

Carl Albert Sehmolke, New Orleans, La., and Catherine Margurite Johnson, Baltimore.

Wesley Price Duckworth, Lonaconing, and Margie Elizabeth Kitzmiller, Lonaconing.

Gilbert Ward Hamilton, Keyser, W. Va., and Lavinia Tross, Keyser, W. Va.

Frank Riddel, Bellaire, O., and Minnie Berguns, Frostburg.

Raymond Ellsworth Riley, McKeesport, Pa., and Olga Rose Gatchie, McKeesport, Pa.

Harry Albert LaMon, Boston, Mass., and Beatrice Hurd, Boston, Mass.

William Bernard Martz, Cumberland, and Beulah Mae Nelson, Eckhart.

James Edwin Gibney, Altoona, Pa., and Ruth Elizabeth Bond, Altoona.

Vern Henry Auldemberg, Orange, Calif., and Betty Jane Deppen, Harrisburg, Pa.

William Franklin Langley, Berlin, Pa., and Ruth Noami Burket, Somerset, Pa.

Andrew Faulds, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Mary Jane Patterson, Pittsburgh.

Harvey Walter Schutz, Akron, O., and Phyllis Ruth Wade, Akron, O.

William Jordan Stophel, Cleveland, O., and Jessie Frances Crissey, Johnstown, Pa.

Paul Joseph Meighen, Kent, O., and Peggy Jane Burgess, Kent, O.

Joseph John Tepsic, State College, Pa., and Margaret Adaline Sherry.

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Three Couples Obtain Marriage Licenses

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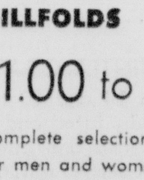
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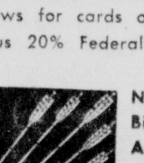
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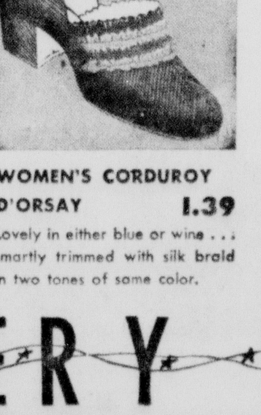
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Wesley Price Duckworth, Lonaconing, and Margie Elizabeth Kitzmiller, Lonaconing.

Gilbert Ward Hamilton, Keyser, W. Va., and Lavinia Tross, Keyser, W. Va.

Frank Riddel, Bellaire, O., and Minnie Bergund, Frostburg.

Raymond Ellsworth Riley, McKeesport, Pa., and Olga Rose Gatchie, McKeesport, Pa.

Harry Albert LaMon, Boston, Mass., and Beatrice Hurd, Boston, Mass.

William Bernard Martz, Cumberland, and Beulah Mae Nelson, Eckhart.

James Edwin Gibney, Altoona, Pa., and Ruth Elizabeth Bond, Altoona.

Vern Henry Aufdemberg, Orange, Calif., and Betty Jane Deppen, Harrisburg, Pa.

William Franklin Langley, Berlin, Pa., and Ruth Noami Burket, Somerset, Pa.

Andrew Faulds, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Mary Jane Patterson, Pittsburgh.

Harvey Walter Schutz, Akron, O., and Phyllis Ruth Wade, Akron, O.

William Jordan Stophel, Cleveland, O., and Jessie Frances Crissey, Johnstown, Pa.

Paul Joseph Meighen, Kent, O., and Peggy Jane Burgess, Kent, O.

Joseph John Tepsic, State College, Pa., and Margaret Adaline Sherry.

Waymen Willard Wilson, Rinard Mills, O., and Betty Ruth Knowlton, New Matamoras, O.

Three Couples Obtain Marriage Licenses

Three marriage licenses were issued Tuesday in the office of the court to the following couples:

Jesse Mathew Clark, Cumberland, and Isabelle Veronica Burton, Lonaconing.

Delmar LaVern McCoy, Dayton, Pa., and Nancy Evelyn Shaeffer, Shelocta, Pa.

Robert Carroll Meyers, Kantner, Pa., and Helene Mahunik, Youngstown, O.

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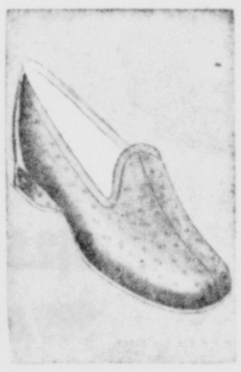
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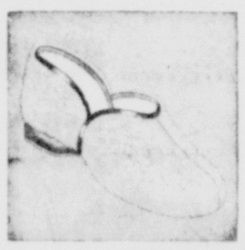
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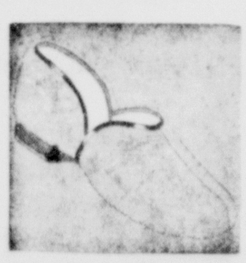
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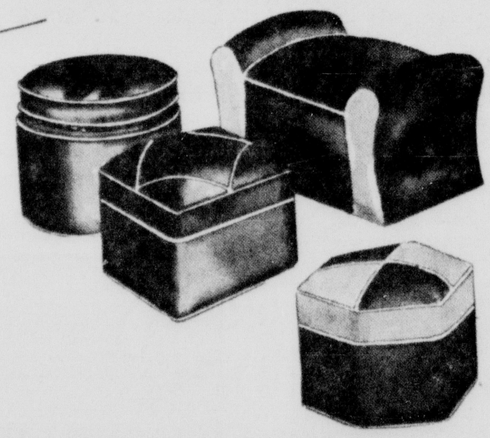

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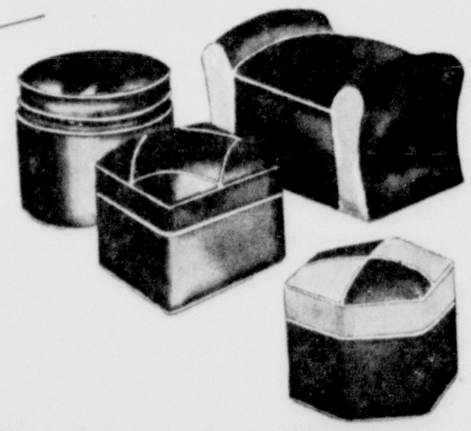

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Many Tri-State Veterans Are Leaving Service

A large number of servicemen and women from the Cumberland area have received discharges, according to announcements. The list contains the names of Army, Navy and Army Air Forces personnel and a WAVE and WAC, both from Cumberland. The list follows:

City men discharged from the Army at Fort Meade since Saturday are: Sgt. Chester E. Moody, RFD 1; Sgt. Van L. Johnson, 150 North Mechanic street; Cpl. Raymond P. Kipe, Oldtown Road; T-5 Carter H. Malcolm, 513 Reginia avenue; T-4 George J. Simmons, 545 North Centre street; Pvt. Kenneth E. Gray, 506 Linden street; T-4 Brethard N. Hill, Williams Road; T-5 William E. Gulick, Route 2; Master Sgt. Joseph E. Crabtree, Route 4; S-Sgt. John P. Winner, 101 Park street; Cpl. Russell B. Durbin, 11 Potomac street, and Tech. Sgt. Paul E. Darr, 511 Schlunt avenue.

More Local Yanks

Others are Tech. Sgt. Lewis D. Dickerhoff, 1217 Frederick street; Pfc. Willard L. Clay, 115 Federal street; Pfc. Harold E. Crawford, 526 Fort avenue; Sgt. Raymond S. Kuhns, 309 Polk street; T-3 Winston E. Snider, Route 2; T-5 Ellis H. Shobe, RFD 3; Pfc. Lester E. Firl, city, and Pfc. Willard C. Cook, 70 Cresap street.

Also on the list of Army personnel are Pvt. Frank Hawkins, Master Sgt. Melvin T. Loar, T-Sgt. Clayton A. Rankin, T-4 Kenneth Truly, S-Sgt. Robert S. Hopkins, Cpl. Noah B. Close, Pfc. Jacob I. Scott, Pfc. Clyde A. Hopkins and Pfc. Arthur J. McKee, all of Frostburg; T-Sgt. James M. Cross and S-Sgt. Maurice R. Lamberson, both of Barton; Sgt. Edward H. Winebrenner, Cpl. Harry K. Elliott and S-Sgt Kenneth Blank, all of Mt. Savage; T-5 Dayton L. Chaney, T-4 Roy R. Berry and Pfc. Willis C. McIntyre, of Westernport.

Pfc. Aaron Bittinger, Pfc. David Walls and T-5 Raymond T. Failinger, of Grantsville; Pfc. Charles Poplo and Sgt. Theodore H. Alexander, of Midland; Master Sgt. Michael A. Orbin, Kitzmiller; Sgt. Harold L. Filer, Midlothian; Cpl. George W. Holler, Cresaptown; Pfc. Paul E. Wright, Eckhart Mines; S-Sgt. James E. Thomas, Corriganville; Cpl. Paul A. Smith, Flintstone; Sgt. Jacob L. Kasekamp, Ellerslie, and Sgt. Cecil G. Shaffer, of Oakland.

Demobilized from the Army Air Forces were Cpl. Richard J. Collins, 308 Pennsylvania avenue; S-Sgt. Marvin J. Kaplon, 637 Shriver avenue, and Sgt. Lawrence Patitucci, 209 Union street.

A local WAVE, Dorothy Clem Farrell, yeoman third class, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clem, and wife of Mazwell Clem, was released from duty in the Navy December 10 in Washington, and a member of the WAC, Pfc. Dorothy B. Phillips, daughter of Mrs. Maude Phillips, Barrelville, was discharged at Camp Beale, Calif., after 20 months of service.

Local Navy men released are Leo V. Helmstetter, RFD 1; Louis D. Downey, 633 Hill Top Drive; William D. Miller, 604 Montgomery avenue; Thomas F. Chandler, RFD 1; Robert F. Rodda, 112 Columbia street; Rutherford B. Cross, 406 Decatur street; Huston G. Leath, 332 Central avenue; Thomas A. Bryant, 225 Maple street; Edmund R. Glove, 624 North Centre street; Thomas P. Hansel, Allegany Grove; Frank C. Tracy, 219 Springdale street; James J. Jones, 426 Chestnut street, and Raymond E. Dunlap, 348 Bedford street.

Nine Others Listed

Others are James F. Goss, 434 Seymour street; Carl F. Balsley, 129 Mary street; John S. Storer, 138 Virginia avenue; William I. Milstead, 749 Maryland avenue; Robert S. Bever, 206 Greene street; Raymond L. Feler, Route 1; Willard J. Moore, 646 North Mechanic street; Robert W. Atwell, 213 Cecelia street, and Homer R. Whip, 80 Greene street.

Area sailors discharged are Roy C. Allen, Paw Paw, W. Va.; Joseph B. Faller, Keyser, W. Va.; Eugene R. Miller, Mt. Savage; Dexter A. Evans, Mt. Savage; Harold Z. Knippenburg, Midland; Harold C. Klink and John F. Densmore, both of Frostburg; Claude H. Sams, Flintstone, and Ellsworth O. Rizer, Corriganville; David R. Lee, Cresaptown; John B. Skidmore, Frostburg; John H. McKenny, Lonaconing, and Floyd R. Wilt, Westernport.

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Master Sgt. Charles Edgar Bratt, Jr., 27, husband of Mrs. Janet Richie Bratt, 108 East Oldtown road, reenlisted at the local recruiting station for eighteen months.

A veteran of five years' service in Alaska, Canada, South America, Africa, China, Burma, India, the Marianas and Haiti, he holds theater ribbons, the Victory Medal and Good Conduct Medal.

Another recruit, Hesse Clay Hornick, 31, husband of Mrs. Jessie May Hornick, Ridgeley, W. Va., enlisted for three years in the transportation corps.

35 West Virginia Yanks Discharged

A total of 35 soldiers from West Virginia have been released from service at Fort George G. Meade according to discharge announcements. The list follows:

Pfc. Floyd A. Mangold, T-5 Frank Wilson, S-Sgt. Ralph E. Malone and Pfc. Charles E. Boyce, all of Keyser; Pfc. Gerald Q. Davis and Pfc. George L. Lyon, of Maysville; Pfc. Donnell E. Puffenbarger and Pfc. Leland C. Malone, of Wiley Ford; Pfc. Marshall Moore, of Kingwood; Pfc. Raymond H. Hartman and Pfc. Lesile Simmons, of Franklin; Pfc. Donald E. Grimes and Sgt. William L. Miller, of Tunnelton; Sgt. Gilbert H. Dawson and Pfc. Caudey J. Burton, of Berkeley Springs, and Cpl. Reid A. Windell and T-5 Arthur R. Teets, of Terra Alta.

Others demobilized were Pfc. Melvin Vance, Onego; Pfc. Eual W. Miles, Coalton; Pfc. Ward L. Clark, Cherry Run; T-Sgt. James R. McNelis, Arthurdale; Pfc. Orville L. Sisler, Albright; Pfc. Dora D. Taylor, Burlington; Pfc. Mervin B. Vanmeter, Smoke Hole; Pfc. Henry S. Zielinsky, Bretz; Pfc. Elmer W. Smith, Masontown; Pfc. James H. Ashenfelter, Rowlesburg; Pfc. Emra Carr, Hendricks; T-5 Jack R. Close, St. George; Pfc. Scott W. Dawson, Piedmont; Pfc. Lynwood W. Brown, Ungers Store.

Also included in the list are T-5 Earl M. Mitchell, of Hambleton; S-Sgt. Earl J. Kidwell, Great Cacapon; S-Sgt. Elza D. Mongold, Mathias; S-Sgt. Herman F. Sindy, Paw Paw, and T-5 Paul S. Mauzy, of Parsons.

NAVY DISCHARGES WAVE, SAILORS

Yeoman 3-c Dorothy Clem Farrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clem, 209 Beall street, and wife of Maxwell Farrell, 209 Beall street, was released from the WAVE at Washington. She was last stationed at the naval air station, Edenton, N. C.

Sailors from Cumberland and vicinity who have been released at Bainbridge are F 1-c John F. Weber, Potomac Park; AOMT 2-c John Camebon; S 1-c Robert L. Nesbitt; Leo V. Helmstetter, RFD 1; Louis D. Downey, 633 Hill Top drive.

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Cpl. Brooks spent 17 months in the Pacific, taking part in the Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea and Philippine engagements. He sailed from Tokyo Bay after serving six weeks in the Japanese cities of Tokyo, Tokyshima and Honshu with the Sixth Army.

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Veterans Are Slow To Take Up Old Jobs

MARTINSBURG, W. Va., Dec. 12 (AP)—Only a few of the returning war veterans from Berkeley, Jefferson and Morgan counties are taking up their old jobs in industry in the area, a survey just made shows.

About forty per cent of the 6,000 servicemen from the three counties have been released and it was estimated that about one-fourth of the total previously were employed in industries in the area.

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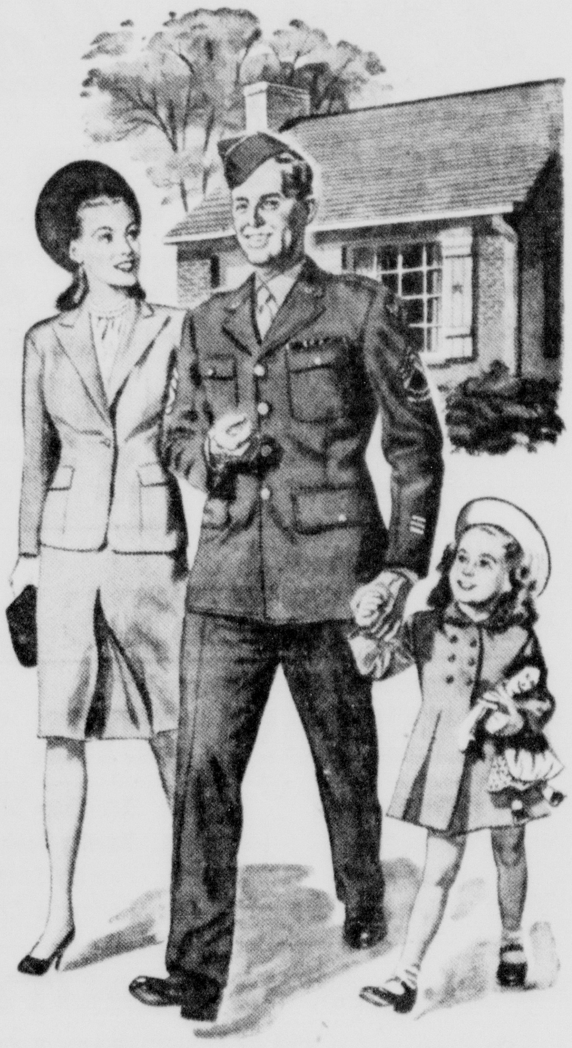
5 "All of us who are reenlisting are going to have from 30 to 90 days' furlough *at home* with full pay and our travel paid both ways. And we'll have 30 days' furlough every year with pay.

6 "Any time after 20 years I can retire at half pay increasing year by year to three-quarters retirement pay after 30 years of service. And the time I've already served in active military or naval service counts toward my retirement time. *Added up—reenlistment looks good to me!*"



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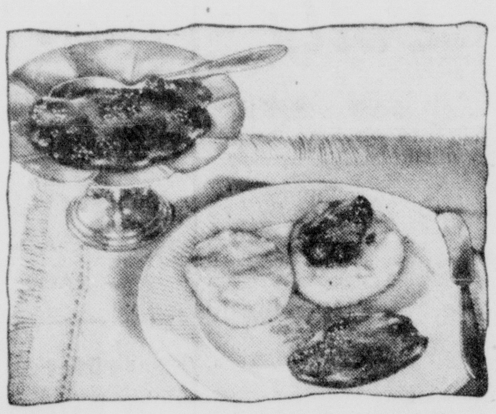
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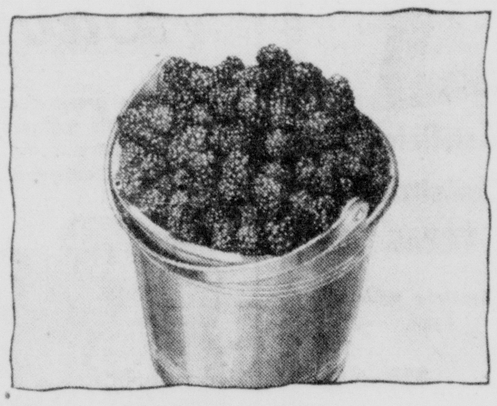
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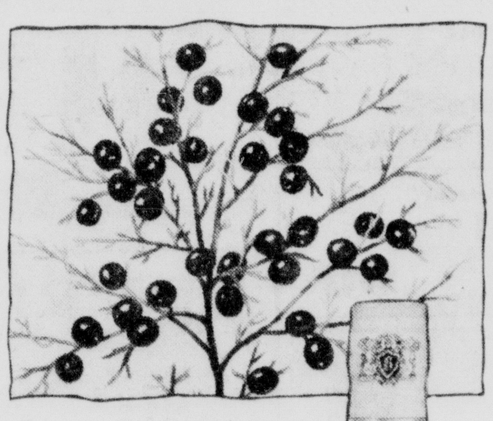
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Many Tri-State Veterans Are Leaving Service

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More Local Yanks

Others are Tech. Sgt. Lewis D. Dickerhoff, 1217 Frederick street; Pfc. Willard L. Clay, 115 Federal street; Pfc. Harold E. Crawford, 526 Fort avenue; Sgt. Raymond S. Kuhns, 309 Polk street; T-3 Winston E. Snider, Route 2; T-5 Ellis H. Shobe, RFD 3; Pfc. Lester E. Firl, city, and Pfc. Willard C. Cook, 70 Cresap street.

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Pfc. William R. Seibert is aboard the troopship S. S. John Ericsson due to dock in New York Tuesday. Two other Cumberlanders, T-4 Blaine D. Elkins and T-4 Ray V. Largent, both of Cumberland, are on the S. S. Kingston Victory, which is scheduled to land in Boston today.

Cumberland and district men who have debarked at United States ports in recent days, their troopships and dates of arrival are as follows:

S. S. Argentina, New York, December 9—Staff Sgt. Robert S. Gibson and Cpl. Ira W. Hittington, Jr., both of this city.

U. S. S. Crockett, Seattle, Wash., December 8—Pvt. William Howdyshell, this city.

S. S. Tarleton Brown, Newport News, Va., December 8—Pfc. William Carter, this city.

S. S. George G. Meade, New York, December 8—Sgt. Ernest F. Densmore, of Frostburg; and Pfc. Rodney T. Pike, of Crellin.

S. S. Joel C. Harris, New York, December 8—Pfc. Ralph F. Drew, of Midlothian.

S. S. Ethan Allen, Newport News, Va., December 7—T-5 Leo J. Seibert, of Allegany.

Veteran of 54 Months Service Discharged

Cpl. Clyde W. Brooks, son of Mrs. C. M. Brooks, 7 Wabash street, Ridgeley, was discharged last week at Camp Atterbury, Ind., after 54 months of service with a field artillery unit.

Cpl. Brooks spent 17 months in the Pacific, taking part in the Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea and Philippine engagements. He sailed from Tokyo Bay after serving six weeks in the Japanese cities of Tokyo, Tokyshima and Honshu with the Sixth Army.

His ribbons include the American Defense, Asiatic-Pacific with three battle stars; Philippine Liberation with two stars; American Theatre, Good Conduct and World War II Victory.

Veterans Are Slow To Take Up Old Jobs

MARTINSBURG, W. Va., Dec. 12 (AP)—Only a few of the returning war veterans from Berkeley, Jefferson and Morgan counties are taking up their old jobs in industry in the area, a survey just made shows.

About forty per cent of the 6,000 servicemen from the three counties have been released and it was estimated that about one-fourth of the total previously were employed in industries in the area.

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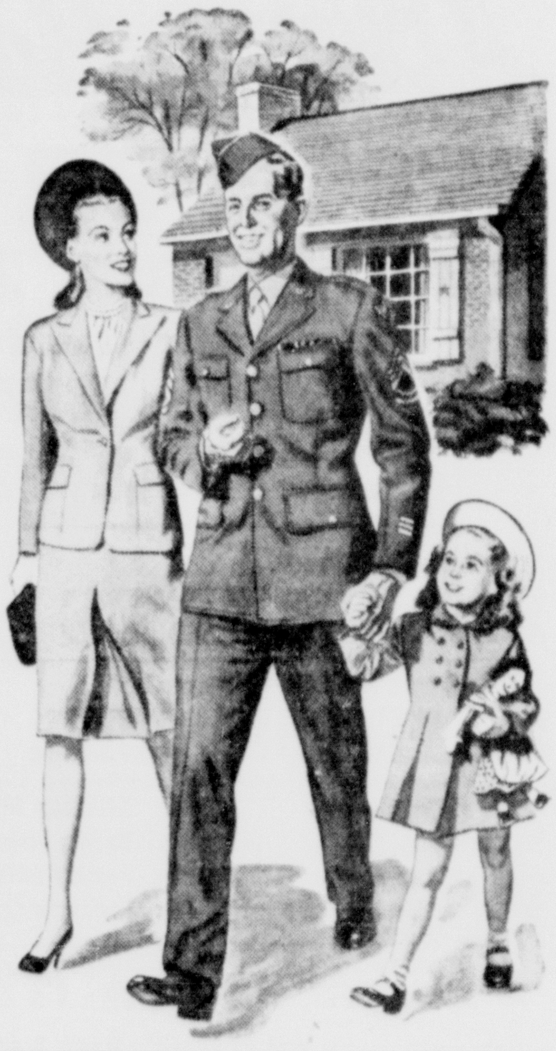
6 "Any time after 20 years I can retire at half pay increasing year by year to three-quarters retirement pay after 30 years of service. And the time I've already served in active military or naval service counts toward my retirement time. *Added up—reenlistment looks good to me!*"



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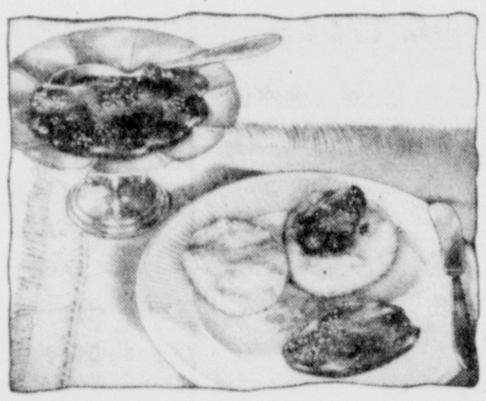
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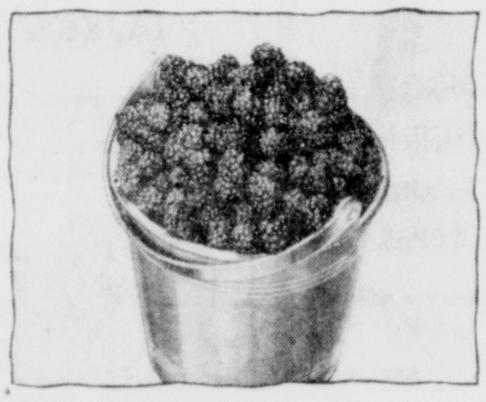
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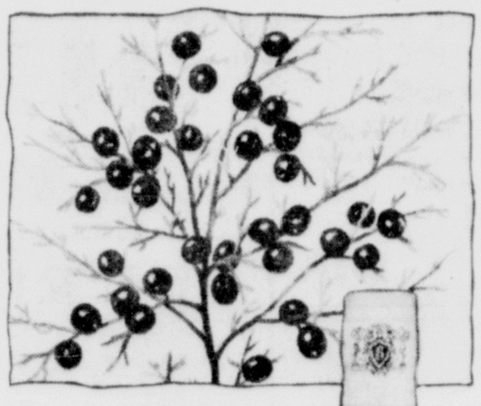
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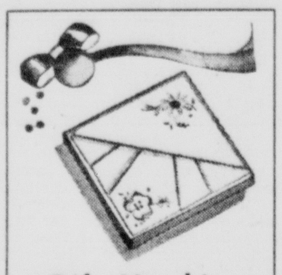

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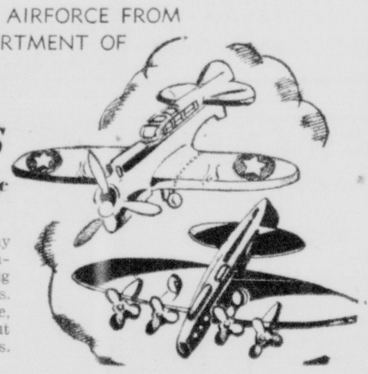

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Charles H. Seltzer, 238 North Mechanic street, is back at work at the A and P super market on Wineow street after serving for three years and eight months with the Eighth and Eleventh air forces. He served in the Aleutians and also participated in the battles of the Rhineland, Ardennes and Central Europe. He won the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with fourteen clusters.

Homer D. Deneen, 319 Pennsylvania avenue, has returned to work at the super market after getting his honorable discharge at the end of two years and two months in the army. He served in the Italian theater, taking part in the battles of Cassino, Arno, Po Valley, Apennines and Rome, and won the Purple Heart, Combat Infantryman's Badge and the Victory, Occupation and Good Conduct ribbons. The Eighty-eighth division with which he served also received the citation of the French Croix de Guerre.

John Paul Deremer, 629 Shade's lane, has returned to the super market after being honorably discharged from the army following three years of service. He was with the One Hundred and Fourth division, saw action in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany and received the Purple Heart, Presidential citation, Bronze star, five battle stars, the ETO and Good Conduct ribbons.

Harry Carroll Peters has returned to his former position as meat manager of the super market in Keyser after completing thirty-three months of service in the Central flying training command.

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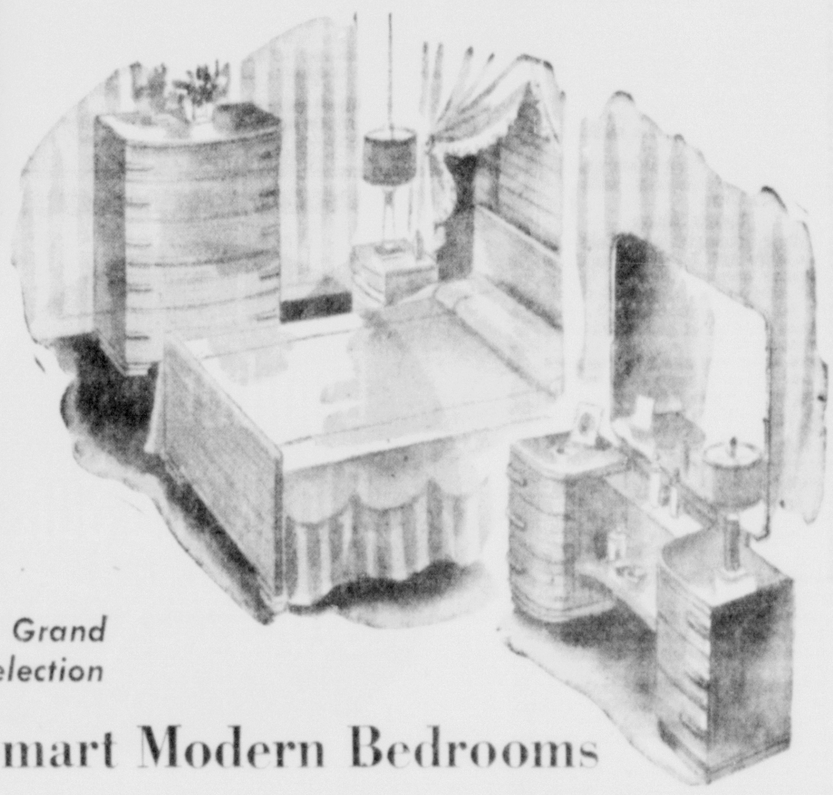

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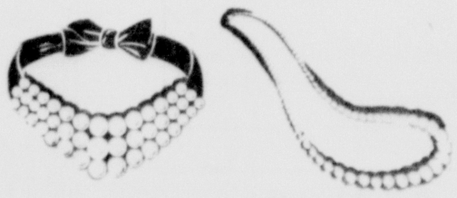

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Couple Marry

Arthur Cunningham Hyde and Miss Mary Ann Long were married Saturday evening at 8:30 in the First Presbyterian church at Johnson City, Tenn. The Rev. W. Paul Worley performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Herman C. Long. She wore white tissue faille with bustle and hoop skirt and her veil was of bridal illusion. She carried colonial nosegay bouquet of white roses with white orchid in center.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Martin J. Mettetal, wore tissue faille with bustle and hoop skirt and carried a colonial nosegay. The bridesmaids, Miss Betty Smythe and Mrs. Charles Sherrod, wore matching dresses in coral with nosegays of different flowers. All the attendants wore natural floral headdress. The flower girl, Suzanne Mooney, wore a miniature copy of the bride's gown.

Clarence M. Bennett was best man and Dr. Ray W. Mettetal and Charles Sherrod attended. George St. John and Thomas Lyle were ushers.

A program of musical selections presented by Miss Anna Marie Teilman included Shubert's "Serenade" played during the ceremony and Debussy's "Reverie." Miss Dorothy Simmonds sang "Ich Liebe Dich" and the closing prayer, "The Lord's Prayer," by Albert K. Malotte.

The church was decorated with large baskets of white chrysanthemums with a background of greens. Candlelight was used.

Mrs. Hyde is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman C. Long and granddaughter of the late John S. Thomas, Johnson City, Tenn. She is a graduate of Virginia intermont college where she was president of Phi Rho Pi, a national speech fraternity, and May queen her senior year. She spent two years in post graduate work at Tennessee state college and for the last two years has been an airline hostess with Pennsylvania Central Airlines, based in Washington, D. C.

Hyde, son of Earl McSherry Hyde and the late Mrs. Alice Cunningham Hyde, was formerly of Moorefield and now lives in Bethesda. Hyde received an honorable discharge as lieutenant colonel with the air corps in August, before which time he trained army pilots. He studied law at University of Tennessee and the University of Virginia and is now active in aviation in and near Washington, owning and operating Hyde field, Clinton, and Congressional airport, Rockville. He is a member of the Quiet Birdmen, Aero club and University club, of Washington.

After a wedding trip to Bermuda, Mr. and Mrs. Hyde will make their home at 8917 Bradley boulevard, Bethesda.

Marriage Announced

Friday, December 7, Miss Frances Suiser, became the bride of Leonard Saville, Painesville, O.

The ceremony was performed in the Stephens City Methodist church, Stephens City, Va., by the Rev. E. C. Day, pastor of the Methodist church there. The only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. James Stickley Rada.

Mrs. Saville is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sulser, Purgittsville, and up to the time of her wedding was employed at the Chert mountain orchard.

Saville is the son of Roy Saville, Lancaster, O., and is employed as a machinist in Painesville.

They will spend a few days visiting friends in Hampshire county. They will reside in Painesville.

Miss Gano Is Married

Miss Violet Gano, Moorefield, and Harry S. Lewis, Petersburg, were married Saturday in the Presbyterian manse, Winchester, Va., the Rev. Ronald S. Wilson officiating in the single-ring ceremoy.

Mrs. Lewis wore blue gabardine street length dress with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of talisman roses for her wedding and Mrs. Grover Zirk, Jr., and Mrs. Lewis Moran, who accompanied them to Winchester, also wore talisman corsages.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Gano who recently moved to Romney from their farm near Augusta. She graduated from the Romney high school and completed the course of Beauty Culture at Martinsburg and since her graduation has been associated with her sister, Mrs. Dalton Dasher in her beauty salon here.

Lewis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Lewis, Petersburg. After graduating from the Petersburg high school, he spent five years in the service, most of that time overseas and was discharged in October with the rating of sergeant. He is now employed in Front Royal, Va.

After spending a week's honeymoon in Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis will make their home in Virginia.

Sponsor Contest

The farm women's clubs in West Virginia are sponsoring a feature story writing contest which is open to all local farm women's club members or to any farm woman who has benefitted by home deonstration work.

Miss Alice Goodell, recently appointed home demonstration agent for Hardy county, announced that all entries must be in her office by February 15, 1946. Prizes will be awarded on a county wide basis. The county awards have not been announced but the state will give awards from $15 to $1 in each of the classes entered, with six awards in each group.

A contestant is eligible to enter all of the classes and may write on any or all of the following topics, using as many words as desired—but brevity is considered very advisable.

The topics are: "How Home Demonstration Work Has Helped My Home," "How Farm Women's Club Work or Home Demonstration Work Has Helped My Community," and "What Extension Work of Farm Woman's Club Work Has Meant to Me Personally."

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McMillen, Morgantown, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Christine, to Wallen Bean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orvon R. Bean, Moorefield.

Miss McMillen is a graduate of the West Virginia university where she was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary fraternity. She taught in the Moorefield high school, 1943-44, and is now teaching in Cincinnati, O.

Bean graduated from Western Maryland college in 1944 and is now a student at the Boston theological seminary.

The wedding will take place Wednesday, December 26, in the Wesley Methodist church, Morgantown.

Heads Auxiliary

Mrs. H. M. Calhoun was elected president of the Moorefield Volunteer Fire Company Auxiliary at a meeting held Friday night at the home of Mrs. S. L. Dodd, Sr.

Mrs. Ted Sager was elected first vice president; Mrs. Robert Powers, second vice president; Mrs. James Sherman, secretary, and Mrs. Lantz Paskell, treasurer.

The memorial chair committee reported twenty chairs purchased by individuals to date.

The building committee reported that the banquet room at the new fire house was completed with the exception of lights and that when the furnace was installed the cabinets would be put in the kitchen and it would be completed.

The Christmas meeting is a Christmas party and a revealing party for secret sisters.

County Reports

A total of $908.70 was collected the past month in the office of the county clerk, according to the announcement of Clerk C. C. Wise this week.

Hunting and fishing licenses totaled $796.50 with $23[illegible] for 119 resident, state-wide hunting and fishing licenses. Three state-wide one-day tourist fishing licenses totaled $3, thirty-seven state wide non-resident hunting and fishing licenses totaled $555 and one duplicate license was issued for fifty cents.

Fees for recording totaled $5.25; administrator cases, $12; guardian cases, $4; marriage licenses, $3 for the county and $3 for the state, and $2.50 for other licenses.

A special term of circuit court has been called for Saturday January 12 to hear any cases that may come before the court at that time. The special term was called in recess of the court this week.

Clerk C. C. Wise announced that neither a grand nor a petit jury would be called for the special term.

Davidoff Opens Paw Paw Office

By MRS. J. C. SNYDER

PAW PAW, W. Va., Dec. 12 — Dr. M. A. Davidoff, physician and surgeon, who spent the past five years as senior medical officer with the First parachute division overseas and aboard the USS Massachusetts, was discharged recently and is now located at Paw Paw.

Dr. Davidoff was chief of medicine at the naval specialized hospital, Glenwood Springs, Colo., before he came to Paw Paw five years ago. At that time he entered the service.

He practices in the office of the late Dr. W. H. Hamum, Winchester avenue.

Mrs. Davidoff is visiting her father who is a patient at Jersey City medical center following an operation.

Paw Paw Briefs

The Ambrosian class held their annual Christmas and birthday party at the home of Mrs. H. P. Weller Tuesday evening.

Mrs. L. M. Perviere, not L. M. Perviere, as printed in a previous report, is a patient at the Massollin, O., hospital.

The Rev. Adam Grim, Mrs. E. C. Ambrose, Mrs. Nellie Frey, Mrs. Pearl Robertson and Mrs. H. P. Weller attended a district conference at Brunswick last week.

Among the successful deer hunters in this section were Rumor Farris, Hayward Leach and Oscar Catlett.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Slough announce the birth of a daughter at Memorial hospital, Cumberland, November 30.

Daniel Arnica and sons, Winslow and John Doyle Arnica, have opened a grocery store at Woodrow.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Twigg, Green Spring, spent the weekend with J. T. Dewall.

Visitors at the home of I. A. Thomas, Sunday were Mrs. Ada Cowgill and the Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Conant.

Mrs. Winifred Layton spent the weekend at her home, Great Cacapon.

Grantsville Church Group Holds Party

By MRS. EVA B. BEACHY

GRANTSVILLE, Dec. 12 — The annual Christmas party of the Lutheran Women's Missionary Society was held in the social room of the church. Mrs. Harold Miller, chairman of the meeting, explained the origin of a number of Christmas carols which were sung at the party.

Gifts were exchanged after the names of "Secret Sisters" were revealed. Refreshments were served.

Brief Mention

A shower was given by Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. McKinzie Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton J. McKinzie.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wales announce the birth of a son, John Philip, in Memorial hospital, Cumberland. Mrs. Wales is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Glotfelty.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence E. Bittinger, Baltimore, have moved into one of the Gortner apartments. Bittinger will be employed by the Gortner Motor Service in Meyersdale, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Menno E. Hershberger and daughter, Ruth, left here last week to spend several months in Florida.

Mrs. Catherine Raymond and Mrs. Ethel Reba, Independence, Ore., and Mrs. Cora Donaldson, Wyoming, are visiting their brother, George Sloan, near Grantsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beachy and son, Sgt. Robert Beachy, Philadelphia, and Frank Beachy, Pittsburgh, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Bender. Sgt. Beachy spent three years as a paratrooper and was recently discharged.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Rodamer of Hot Springs, Va., spent the weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Rodamer.

Pvt. James Edwards, Camp Blanding, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Edwards.

Stanley Swauger, Baltimore, is visiting his brother, Leland Swauger, Grantsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Beachy received word from their son James C. Beachy, that he had arrived in the United States, and is convalescing in a naval hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Edwards received word that their son, Clayton, is on his way home from Okinawa.

Capt. Thomas R. Ferrell, who spent the past forty-five days with his wife, Mrs. Melba Ferrell, and father, E. M. Ferrell has returned to the army air base at New Castle, Del.

Mrs. Ethel Miller received word that her son Sgt. Fay L. Miller Jr., is in Eberbach, Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Zeller received word that their son, Sgt. Robert Zeller, is located near Munich, Germany.

Pvt. Charles C. Bender, Shepherd Field, Texas, is spending a thirty day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bender. Another son, Pvt. Thomas Bender, Camp Meade, spent several days with them recently.

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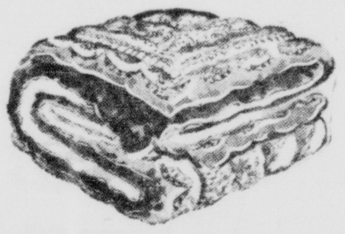

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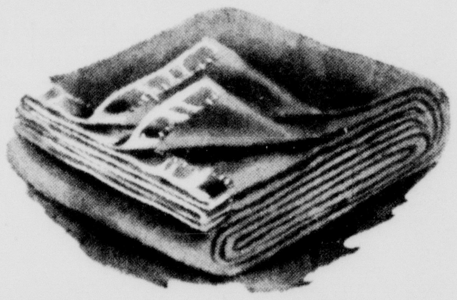

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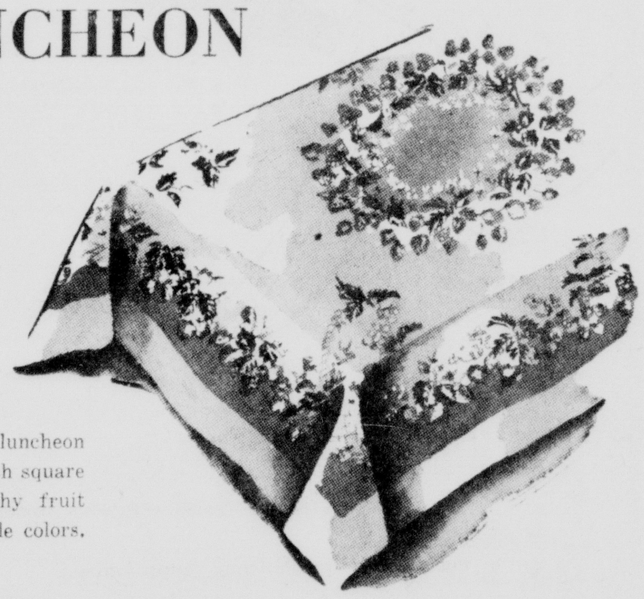

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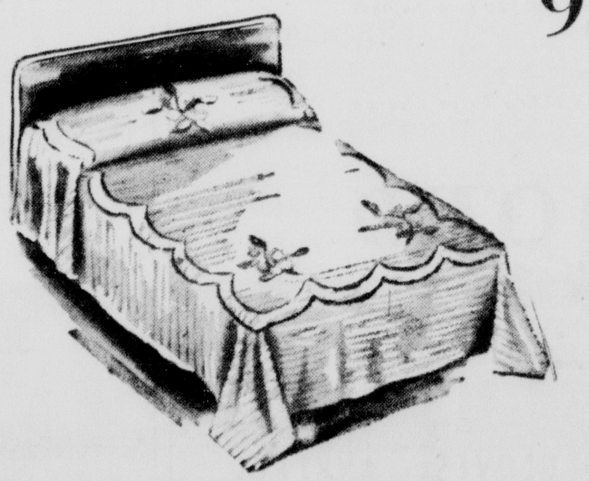

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Mr. and Mrs. Plauger are making their home temporarily with Mr. and Mrs. Combs.

Couple Marry

Arthur Cunningham Hyde and Miss Mary Ann Long were married Saturday evening at 8:30 in the First Presbyterian church at Johnson City, Tenn. The Rev. W. Paul Worley performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Herman C. Long. She wore white tissue faille with bustle and hoop skirt and her veil was of bridal illusion. She carried colonial nosegay bouquet of white roses with white orchid in center.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Martin J. Mettetal, wore tissue faille with bustle and hoop skirt and carried a colonial nosegay. The bridesmaids, Miss Betty Smythe and Mrs. Charles Sherrod, wore matching dresses in coral with nosegays of different flowers. All the attendants wore natural floral headdress. The flower girl, Suzanne Mooney, wore a miniature copy of the bride's gown.

Clarence M. Bennett was best man and Dr. Ray W. Mettetal and Charles Sherrod attended. George St. John and Thomas Lyle were ushers.

A program of musical selections presented by Miss Anna Marie Teilman included Shubert's "Serenade" played during the ceremony and Debussy's "Reverie." Miss Dorothy Simmonds sang "Ich Liebe Dich" and the closing prayer, "The Lord's Prayer," by Albert K. Mallotte.

The church was decorated with large baskets of white chrysanthemums with a background of greens. Candlelight was used.

Mrs. Hyde is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman C. Long and granddaughter of the late John S. Thomas, Johnson City, Tenn. She is a graduate of Virginia intermont college where she was president of Phi Rho Pi, a national speech fraternity, and May queen her senior year. She spent two years in post graduate work at Tennessee state college and for the last two years has been an airline hostess with Pennsylvania Central Airlines, based in Washington, D. C.

Hyde, son of Earl McSherry Hyde and the late Mrs. Alice Cunningham Hyde, was formerly of Moorefield and now lives in Bethesda. Hyde received an honorable discharge as lieutenant colonel with the air corps in August, before which time he trained army pilots. He studied law at University of Tennessee and the University of Virginia and is now active in aviation in and near Washington, owning and operating Hyde field, Clinton, and Congressional airport, Rockville. He is a member of the Quiet Birdmen, Aero club and University club, of Washington.

After a wedding trip to Bermuda, Mr. and Mrs. Hyde will make their home at 8917 Bradley boulevard, Bethesda.

Marriage Announced

Friday, December 7, Miss Frances ...stuiser, became the bride of Leonard ...Saville, Palnesville, O.

The ceremony was performed in the Stephens City Methodist church, Stephens City, Va., by the Rev. E. C. Day, pastor of the Methodist church there. The only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. James Stickley Rada.

Mrs. Saville is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sulser, Purgittsville, and up to the time of her wedding was employed at the Chert mountain orchard.

Saville is the son of Roy Saville, Lancaster, O., and is employed as a machinist in Palnesville.

They will spend a few days visiting friends in Hampshire county. They will reside in Palnesville.

Miss Gano Is Married

Miss Violet Gano, Moorefield, and Harry S. Lewis, Petersburg, were married Saturday in the Presbyterian manse, Winchester, Va., the Rev. Ronald S. Wilson officiating in the single-ring ceremony.

Mrs. Lewis wore blue gabardine street length dress with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of talisman roses for her wedding and Mrs. Grover Zirk, Jr., and Mrs. Lewis Moran, who accompanied them to Winchester, also wore talisman corsages.

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs. James Gano who recently moved to Romney from their farm near Augusta. She graduated from the Romney high school and completed the course of Beauty Culture at Martinsburg and since her graduation has been associated with her sister, Mrs. Dalton Dasher in her beauty salon here.

Lewis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Lewis, Petersburg. After graduating from the Petersburg high school, he spent five years in the service, most of that time overseas and was discharged in October with the rating of sergeant. He is now employed in Front Royal, Va.

After spending a week's honeymoon in Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis will make their home in Virginia.

Sponsor Contest

The farm women's clubs in West Virginia are sponsoring a feature story writing contest which is open to all local farm women's club members or to any farm woman who has benefitted by home deonstration work.

Miss Alice Goodell, recently appointed home demonstration agent for Hardy county, announced that all entries must be in her office by February 15, 1946. Prizes will be awarded on a county wide basis. The county awards have not been announced but the state will give awards from $15 to $1 in each of the classes entered, with six awards in each group.

A contestant is eligible to enter all of the classes and may write on any or all of the following topics, using as many words as desired—but brevity is considered very advisable.

The topics are: "How Home Demonstration Work Has Helped My Home," "How Farm Women's Club Work or Home Demonstration Work Has Helped My Community," and "What Extension Work of Farm Woman's Club Work Has Meant to Me Personally."

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McMillen, Morgantown, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Christine, to Wallen Bean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orvon R. Bean, Moorefield.

Miss McMillen is a graduate of the West Virginia university where she was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary fraternity. She taught in the Moorefield high school, 1943-44, and is now teaching in Cincinnati, O.

Bean graduated from Western Maryland college in 1944 and is now a student at the Boston theological seminary.

The wedding will take place Wednesday, December 26, in the Wesley Methodist church, Morgantown.

Heads Auxiliary

Mrs. H. M. Calhoun was elected president of the Moorefield Volunteer Fire Company Auxiliary at a meeting held Friday night at the home of Mrs. S. L. Dodd, Sr.

Mrs. Ted Sager was elected first vice president; Mrs. Robert Powers, second vice president; Mrs. James Sherman, secretary, and Mrs. Lantz Paskell, treasurer.

The memorial chair committee reported twenty chairs purchased by individuals to date.

The building committee reported that the banquet room at the new fire house was completed with the exception of lights and that when the furnace was installed the cabinets would be put in the kitchen and it would be completed.

The Christmas meeting is a Christmas party and a revealing party for secret sisters.

County Reports

A total of $908.70 was collected the past month in the office of the county clerk, according to the announcement of Clerk C. C. Wise this week.

Hunting and fishing licenses totaled $796.50 with $230 for 119 resident, state-wide hunting and fishing licenses. Three state-wide one-day tourist fishing licenses totaled $3; thirty-seven state wide non-resident hunting and fishing licenses totaled $555 and one duplicate license was issued for fifty cents.

Fees for recording totaled $5.25; administrator cases, $12; guardian cases, $4; marriage licenses, $3 for the county and $3 for the state, and $2.50 for other licenses.

A special term of circuit court has been called for Saturday January 12 to hear any cases that may come before the court at that time. The special term was called in recess of the court this week.

Clerk C. C. Wise announced that neither a grand nor a petit jury would be called for the special term.

Davidoff Opens Paw Paw Office

By MRS. J. C. SNYDER

PAW PAW, W. Va., Dec. 12 — Dr. M. A. Davidoff, physician and surgeon, who spent the past five years as senior medical officer with the First parachute division overseas and aboard the USS Massachusetts, was discharged recently and is now located at Paw Paw.

Dr. Davidoff was chief of medicine at the naval specialized hospital, Glenwood Springs, Colo., before he came to Paw Paw five years ago. At that time he entered the service.

He practices in the office of the late Dr. W. H. Hamum, Winchester avenue.

Mrs. Davidoff is visiting her father who is a patient at Jersey City medical center following an operation.

Paw Paw Briefs

The Ambrosian class held their annual Christmas and birthday party at the home of Mrs. H. P. Weller Tuesday evening.

Mrs. L. M. Perviere, not L. M. Perviere, as printed in a previous report, is a patient at the Massollin, O., hospital.

The Rev. Adam Grim, Mrs. E. C. Ambrose, Mrs. Nellie Frey, Mrs. Pearl Robertson and Mrs. H. P. Weller attended a district conference at Brunswick last week.

Among the successful deer hunters in this section were Rumor Farris, Hayward Leach and Oscar Catlett.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Slough announce the birth of a daughter at Memorial hospital, Cumberland, November 30.

Daniel Arnica and sons, Winslow and John Doyle Arnica, have opened a grocery store at Woodrow.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Twigg, Green Spring, spent the weekend with J. T. Dewall.

Visitors at the home of I. A. Thomas, Sunday were Mrs. Ada Cowgill and the Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Conant.

Mrs. Winifred Layton spent the weekend at her home, Great Capon.

Grantsville Church Group Holds Party

By MRS. EVA B. BEACHY

GRANTSVILLE, Dec. 12 — The annual Christmas party of the Lutheran Women's Missionary Society was held in the social room of the church. Mrs. Harold Miller, chairman of the meeting, explained the origin of a number of Christmas carols which were sung at the party.

Gifts were exchanged after the names of "Secret Sisters" were revealed. Refreshments were served.

Brief Mention

A shower was given by Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. McKinzie Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton J. McKinzie.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wales announce the birth of a son, John Philip, in Memorial hospital, Cumberland. Mrs. Wales is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Glotfelty.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence E. Bittinger, Baltimore, have moved into one of the Gortner apartments. Bittinger will be employed by the Gortner Motor Service in Meyersdale, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Menno E. Hershberger and daughter, Ruth, left here last week to spend several months in Florida.

Mrs. Catherine Raymond and Mrs. Ethel Reba, Independence, Ore., and Mrs. Cora Donaldson, Wyoming, are visiting their brother, George Sloan, near Grantsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beachy and son, Sgt. Robert Beachy, Philadelphia, and Frank Beachy, Pittsburgh, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Bender. Sgt. Beachy spent three years as a paratrooper and was recently discharged.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Rodamer of Hot Springs, Va., spent the weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Rodamer.

Pvt. James Edwards, Camp Blanding, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Edwards.

Stanley Swauger, Baltimore, is visiting his brother, Leland Swauger, Grantsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Beachy received word from their son James C. Beachy, that he had arrived in the United States, and is convalescing in a naval hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Edwards received word that their son, Clayton, is on his way home from Okinawa.

Capt. Thomas R. Ferrell, who spent the past forty-five days with his wife, Mrs. Melba Ferrell, and father, E. M. Ferrell has returned to the army air base at New Castle, Del.

Mrs. Ethel Miller received word that her son Sgt. Fay L. Miller Jr., is in Eberbach, Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Zeller received word that their son, Sgt. Robert Zeller, is located near Munich, Germany.

Pvt. Charles C. Bender, Shepherd Field, Texas, is spending a thirty day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bender. Another son, Pvt. Thomas Bender, Camp Meade, spent several days with them recently.

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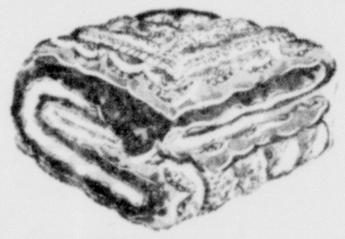

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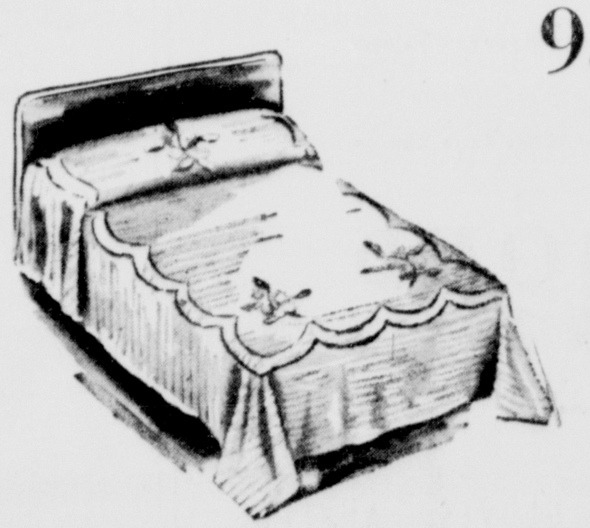

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Lonaconing Girl Will Be Soloist At Carol Service

Leona Green Will Sing "Cantique de Noel" at Event in Frostburg

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

FROSTBURG, Dec. 12 — One of the feature numbers of the Christmas carol service to be held Friday evening at Frostburg State Teachers college will be a rendition of "Cantique de Noel," by a chorus with Miss Leona Green, Lonaconing, as soloist.

The entire program, to be presented by the Maryland Singers, under direction of Prof. Maurice Matteson, will be reminiscent of the Christmas season. Miss Jean Weller, soloist, together with a quartet consisting of Drummond Orr, Donald Morgan, Darleen Warnick and Ann Llewellyn, will present "Sing O Heavens," by Berthold Tours.

Miss Ruth Robinson and Mrs. Gloria Nesbitt will appear in a vocal duet, "Gabriel from the Heaven Descending," with Drummond Orr, the male soloist. They will be accompanied by the chorus.

"At Christmas" will be sung by the Misses Janice Friend, Helen Timney, Clara Sigler, Dorothea Ebert, Andrew DiUbaldo and Miss Barbara Martin will sing the traditional carol, "The First Noel," with chorus accompaniment. Miss Ann Llewellyn and Miss Ruth Robinson will play a piano duet, "Now Comes the Gentle Savior," by Bach.

The service, annually one of the outstanding events of the college year, will be presented before an attractive background of stage setting, and the program, beginning at 8 p. m., will be open to the general public.

Dedication Service Planned

The seventy-fourth anniversary of the dedication of the present First Methodist church structure will be observed with special services Sunday, December 16. At the morning service, the Rev. Watson E. Holly will preach his special Christmas sermon and also receive a class of adults into church membership. There will be special music by the choir.

In the evening there will be a Christmas carol service. The choir will broadcast from 7 p. m. to 7:20 p. m. at 7:30 the service inside the church will begin. There will be no sermon, but a service entirely of singing of carols by the congregation and by three choirs, under the direction of Prof. Arthur Thomas. All three of the choirs will sing special selections. The candles will be lighted in the windows of the church.

The public is cordially invited to all of these services.

Sportsmen Elect Officers

Meeting last evening for its final session of the current year, the Allegany-Garrett County Sportsmen's Association elected officers for the ensuing year.

They are Henry Rank, president; Harry Morgan, vice president; Gurney Beeman, secretary, and William Stewart, treasurer. Rank succeeds Fred Crowe, who has served twice as president, and Beeman succeeds Rudolph Nickel, a former president who has been serving as secretary since the death of the late R. Hilary Lancaster.

Following the election of officers, [illegible] was presented with an active pen and pencil set by A. C. [illegible]wart, the first president of the association.

Crowe responded with [illegible] address thanking the members [illegible] their cooperation during the p[illegible] year and for the help they had given the conservation forum, including a cash donation of $25.

Rank will announce the appointment of an executive committee at the first meeting in January.

Hyman Lipschitz Dies

Hyman Lipschitz, about 70, a former resident and well-known junk dealer of Frostburg, dropped dead on a Baltimore street Tuesday afternoon. According to information received here, Lipschitz was out walking when he was suddenly stricken. Baltimore police investigated and through credentials learned his identity.

Police found a note in the man's pocket bearing the name of Lt. (j.g.) Milton Gerson, USN, Lord Baltimore hotel. Lt. Gerson is a former Cumberland attorney. It is thought that Mr. Lipschitz was en route to the hotel for a visit with Lt. Gerson when he was stricken. He resided at the Jewis Home for the Aged.

Two cousins who reside in Cumberland, Samuel and Robert Kaplon, are in Baltimore for the services.

Mrs. Eliza Darr Dies

Mrs. Eliza Jane Darr, 75, widow of John Darr, LaVale, died Wednesday morning in Miners hospital, where she had been a patient a week.

A native of Moorefield, W. Va., Mrs. Darr was a daughter of the late Henry and Anna Jones, and moved from Westernport seven years ago. She had resided with her daughter, Mrs. Wayne Irwin, at LaVale.

Two other daughters, Miss Bertha Darr, LaVale and Mrs. Russell Mullen, Westernport, and two sons, William and Samuel Darr, both of Westernport, also survive.

Arrangements have not been made.

John N. Powers Dies

John N. Powers, 77, a retired mine worker, died early this evening at his home, 132 Maple street, where he had been seriously ill for the past two weeks. He had been in failing health for several months.

A native of Frostburg, Mr. Powers was a son of the late John and Rachel Powers. A member of St. Michael's Catholic church and the Holy Name society of the church, he retired from active employment in 1935. His wife, Mrs. Emma McKenzie Powers, died many years ago.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. John Manley, Frostburg, and Mrs. Thomas Condon, Cumberland; three sisters, Miss Anne Powers and Mrs. Mollie Byrnes, both of Frostburg, and Mrs. George Shappe, Toledo, O.; two brothers, Clarence and Frank T. Powers, both of Frostburg; and two grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Frostburg Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Broadwater, 114 Grant street, announce the birth of a daughter Sunday morning in Miners hospital.

The W.S.C.S. of Mt. Zion church, Long Stretch, Garrett county, held

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NOTICE TO MOOSE

All members of Frostburg Lodge No. 348 Loyal Order of Moose are requested to meet at the Moose Home Friday 1:30 P. M. to attend the funeral of our deceased brother, Benjamin Zarger. Please bring card.

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A meeting of the stockholders of this bank will be held at its banking house on Tuesday, January 8, 1945, between the hours of 2 and 3 p. m. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may be properly brought before such meeting.

William B. Yates
Treasurer.

Keplinger Rites Held at His Home

By MYRTLE K. PARK

PETERSBURG, W. Va., Dec. 12 — Funeral services were held yesterday for Benjamin Clayton Keplinger, 75, at his late home near Petersburg and burial was in the family cemetery nearby.

Mr. Keplinger was found dead in bed Sunday morning. He had been in ill health for some time.

He was born near Maysville, a son of the late Abraham and Sarah McDonald Keplinger, Maysville. His wife, Elizabeth May Keplinger, died a number of years ago.

A son, Arnold Keplinger, Keyser, and the following brothers survive—Walter S. Keplinger, Spencer Keplinger, William C. Keplinger and Thomas J. Keplinger, Maysville.

Meet in Hawaii

Reginald Roby, a navy pilot, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Roby, North Main street, left Seattle, Wash., Saturday, November 24 and arrived by plane in Hawaii the next day at noon. He got in touch with his brother, Donald, who has been in the navy on the island more than two years, he wrote home.

Donald reported that he went on a bombing trip with Reginald Tuesday and that they went up 10,000 feet and dived straight down at the target, pulled out of the dive at 3000 feet and came in on a three-point landing.

Personals

Miss Lee Shobe, who has been working in Ohio is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ida Shobe, Dorcas.

Mrs. Margella Stonestreet See, Cumberland, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Stonestreet, Maysville.

Cpl. James H. Ashenfelter, who returned recently from the European theater, received his discharge at Camp Meade yesterday and returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ashenfelter, yesterday.

Seaman Paul Eskridge called his wife from Philadelphia yesterday and told her that he expected to receive his discharge this week and would arrive home shortly. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Eskridge, Virginia avenue.

Mrs. Charlotte Hamstead Harman has accepted a position at the Petersburg Pepsi Cola Company here and Miss June Cornell has resigned her position there and will return to Cumberland the first of the year.

Mrs. Thomas Powell, Romney, who has been here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Paskel Thompson, returned home.

Sgt. Bean Sears, Camp Atterbury, Ind., is here visiting friends and relatives.

Services Held For John Lief

By W. A. SHOEMAKER

MEYERSDALE, Pa., Dec. 12 — Brief services for John William Lief, 52, who died Sunday at the home of his sisters, the Misses Margaret and Mae Lief, were held last evening, with the Rev. Thomas J. Houghton, pastor of SS. Philip and James' Catholic church, officiating.

Mr. Lief, who was born in Rockwood, and whose parents died many years ago, spent much of his life in the army. Approximately thirty years were spent in the regular army. In the First World war he fought in an infantry division and in World War II he served in the merchant marine, transporting oil and gasoline from Texas to points in the Pacific theater.

A short time ago he came to Meyersdale to spend some time with relatives and later became ill, passing away Sunday.

Besides his two sisters he is survived by another sister, Mrs. Thomas Rees, Johnstown; three brothers—Augustus Lief, B and O. engineer, Cumberland; Robert Lief, also in the employ of the B. and O., Meyersdale, and Leo Lief, Johnstown.

The body was removed this afternoon to the Baltimore and Ohio railway station, accompanied by a guard of honor composed of members of Charles E. Kelly Post No. 112, American Legian, and placed aboard train for Port Arthur, Texas, his home, where additional services will be held December 15 and where interment will be made. His widow, who survives, resides at Port Arthur.

Mrs. Neimiller Dies

Mrs. Carrie Landis Neimiller, 79, died last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mahlon Reich, nearby Berkeley.

Born in Somerset county, she was a daughter of Joseph and Margaret Fleegle Landis. Her husband, Isaac Neimiller, died a number of years ago.

Surviving are seven children — Norman Neimiller, Meyersdale; William Neimiller, at home; Mrs. Reich, Joseph Neimiller and Mrs. Joseph Bender, Cleveland, and Mrs. Elmer Fike and Mrs. Albert Barmoy, Summit township. She also leaves a sister, Mrs. Lloyd Hostetler, Meyersdale; twenty grandchildren and fourteen great-grandchildren.

Investigate Robbery

State police of the Somerset substation were in Meyersdale today investigating the burglary at the Getty service station early Sunday morning. Seventeen cartons of cigarets and the change in the cash register were stolen.

The police also investigated the burglarizing of the Grof department store, Berlin, where merchandise amounting to approximately $900 was taken by the thieves.

One of the burglars changed clothes in the store and left behind a pair of light blue gabardine trousers and an oxford gray suit coat.

Announces Marriage

Mrs. Hattie Elliot, Frostburg, announced the marriage of her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Elliott and Max L. Engle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd F. Engle, Meyersdale. The ceremony took place Friday, November 30, in the parsonage of the Methodist church, Frostburg, the pastor officiating.

The bride wore a light blue dress with brown accessories, and a corsage of gardenias. Before her marriage she was employed by the Celanese corporation.

The bridegroom, a veteran of service in the Pacific, was discharged from service as a master sergeant early in October.

Meyersdale Briefs

Members of the Meyersdale fire company have completed stringing colored electric lights along Main, Center and Monument streets, and the current will be turned on shortly. These lights were not on in the war years.

The annual Christmas pageant by the choirs and members of the Church of the Brethren will be held next Sunday evening in the auditorium of the church.

A basketball game is scheduled to take place Christmas day at 7:15 p. m. between the All-Star Red Heads, champion female basketeers, and Meyersdale's ex-servicemen. Dancing will follow the game. The event is being sponsored for the benefit of the building fund of the Meyersdale community hospital.

Personals

Mrs. Lawrence Lowstuter, State theatre, visited her son, S 2-c Don Lowstuter, over the weekend at Great Lakes naval training station, Ill., where he has been a pneumonia patient in the station hospital for about two weeks.

Sgt. J. William Beynon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Beynon, Sherman street, has arrived home, having been discharged at Indiantown Gap. He was in the army for forty-two months, spending thirty months overseas as a radio operator and traffic controller at an air base. Before entering the military service he was employed as a linotype operator by the Meyersdale Republican

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Harold Miller, Miss Dawson Wed In Westernport

Double-ring Ceremony Is Performed in First Baptist Church

By GEORGE W. DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT, Dec. 12 — Miss Peggy Dawson, daughter of Mrs. Helen Dawson, 222 Philos avenue, and the late William C. Dawson, and Harold Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Miller, East Main street, Frostburg, were married at a double ring ceremony last night at the First Baptist church by the Rev. William B. Orndorff, pastor.

Harold Baker, Piedmont, sang, "I Love You Truly", and the traditional wedding marches were played by Miss Miriam Orndorff.

Mrs. Milburn Spiker, National, was her neice's bridesmaid and David Paugh was the bridegroom's best man.

The bride wore a medium blue street-length suit with black accessories and a corsage of white gardenias.

Mrs. Spiker was attired in an aqua blue, street-length dress, brown accessories and corsage of mixed sweet peas.

Mrs. Miller is a 1945 graduate of Bruce high school and is employed at the G. C. Murphy company store, Piedmont, W. Va.

Miller was a member of the 1943 graduating class of Beall high school, Frostburg, and was discharged in October after spending twenty-seven months in Africa, Italy and Germany. He is employed at the Celanese plant.

When they return from spending their honeymoon at Hagerstown they will reside at Frostburg.

Frankland Rites Held

Services for Leroy Frankland, 74, were held from his residence, 205 Vine street, Westernport, yesterday afternoon with the Rev. Raymond L. Moore, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, Piedmont, officiating. Interment was in Philos cemetery, Westernport.

Pallbearers were Arthur Fazenbaker, Arthur Frankland, Dr. Lewis Engle, Robert Montgomery, Gilbert Murphy and Leo Lannon.

Fatkin Discharged

Sgt. Marshall Fatkin, who arrived at Boston on the Rensasleer, returned home, Luke, after receiving his discharge at Fort Meade. He was accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Virginia Morgan Fatkin.

He was in the service three years and in Europe two years with the Five Hundred Eighth parachute infantry band. After the war his outfit was special guard for Gen. Eisenhower, playing for parties at his headquarters, Frankfurt, and for President Truman for the financial investigating committee there.

Before entering the service he was a member of the faculty of Beall high school, Frostburg. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Fatkin, Mullen avenue, Luke.

Plans Service

A Christmas carol candlelight service will feature the meeting of the WSCS at Trinity Methodist church, Piedmont, Thursday, December 20, at 7:30 p. m.

Instrumental music, organ, piano and Hawaiian guitars with Miss Evelyn Biggs, organist, and Miss Pauline Whiteman, pianist, will present a program of "O Come All Ye Faithful," the processional; introductory remarks and devotional service by Mrs. Raymond W. Reeves, president; "Deck the Halls," "There's A Song in the Air," "Fairest Lord Jesus," offeratory and explanatory address by the Rev. R. L. Moore, "Silent Night," "A Joyful Christmas Song," and the recessional, "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

Car Damaged

The automobile owned and operated by Dayton Ours, 221 Vine street, was badly damaged when it collided with a coal truck operated by Alongo J. Dorsey and owned by W. T. Zielor, Martinsburg, W. Va., at the corner of Main and Washington streets.

Ours was making a left-hand turn on Main street, entering Washington street. The impact turned the car over on its side. Neither Ours nor the driver of the truck and his wife and little girl who were riding with him were injured.

The truck was also considerably damaged. The radiator of the truck was punctured and the front axle bent.

Burza Hanlin, chief of police, who investigated the accident stated that Ours admitted he was at fault as he did not see the truck until it was too late.

Mrs. Darr Rites

Services for Mrs. Eliza Jane Darr, 75, widow of John Darr, LaVale, formerly of Westernport, who died at 1 a. m. today at the Miners hospital, Frostburg, will be held Saturday at 2:30 p. m. at Boal's funeral home, Westernport.

The Rev. Raymond L. Moore, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, Piedmont, W. Va., will officiate. Interment will be in Philos cemetery, Westernport. The body is at the funeral home.

She was a native of Moorefield, W. Va., a daughter of the late Henry and Anna Jones and moved from Westernport to LaVale seven years ago. She resided with her daughter, Mrs. Wayne Ervin.

She is also survived by two other daughters, Miss Bertha Darr, LaVale, and Mrs. Russell Mullen, Westernport; two sons, William and Sam Darr, Westernport; twelve grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Child's Rites Planned

Services will be held at the residence for Violet Marie Smith, 5, daughter of Mrs. Arbutus Smith Watson, Bloomington, Thursday at 2:30 p. m. Burial will be in the Bloomington cemetery.

Besides her mother she is survived by her step-father Daniel Watson.

Show To Be Given

A variety show to be presented at the Bruce high school auditorium Thursday and Friday at 8 p. m. will be directed by R. R. Ritchie, member of the faculty.

It will include selections by the high school band, senior high octet, junior high octet and girls glee club. The physical education department will contribute several numbers.

Two one-act plays will be presented one by the Boys Hi-Y and one by a mixed group. The public may attend.

Elect Officers

Mrs. Clara Marteney was elected past chief at the December meeting of Calanthe Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters, Piedmont, W. Va., last night.

Other officers selected: Miss Evelyn Swann, most excellent chief; Mrs. Tola Samuels, excellent senior; Mrs. Rose Shade, excellent junior; Mrs. Margaret Hill, manager; Mrs. Delsie Dawson, mistress of finance; Mrs. Nora Wilt, protector.

Mrs. Ethel Windle, guard; Mrs. Eliza Grandstaff, pianist; Mrs. Estella Nealis, captain of degree staff; Mrs. Daisy Dick, representative to Grand Lodge; Mrs. Ada McKenzie, alternate; Mrs. Ada McKenzie, installing officer, and Mrs. Vivian McKenzie, press correspondent. The officers will be installed the first meeting in January.

Their annual Christmas party followed the meeting and gifts were exchanged. Secret sisters were revealed. Those having birthday in October, November and December were honored and presented with a gift.

Westernport Briefs

Miss Anita Dicken, music instructor, will direct a Christmas play to be presented Thursday at 8 p. m. at the December meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association at the Piedmont high school. The program will also include group singing of Christmas carols. Refreshments will be served.

Harry Cosner, Main street, who has been seriously ill is somewhat improved at the Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser.

Frank Lavorata, Jr., 234 West Fairview street, Piedmont, entered Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser, yesterday for observation and treatment.

An open meeting of Tri-Towns Post No. 4401 Veterans of Foreign Wars will be held Friday at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Victory Post No. 155, American Legion, Fay F. Baker, Clarksburg, W. Va., director of extensions, will be present.

Melvin Riggleman, 28, Piedmont, sustained a fractured right shoulder Tuesday when he skidded on a scooter motor bike at the corner of Ashfield and Second street, Piedmont. He was taken to the Potomac Valley hospital at Keyser in automobile by Harold Fredlock.

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Water Main Cleaning Triples Pipe Capacity

HAGERSTOWN, Dec. 12 (AP)—Cleaning of the water mains between Hagerstown and its mountain reservoirs at Smithsburg and Edgemont, almost tripled the capacity of the pipe lines.

Water Superintendent Richard Willson said today ten large piles of silt and rust, each pile weighing several tons, were removed from the mains and as a result the daily flow of water is now 1,700,000 gallons compared with daily flow of 600,000 gallons before cleaning.

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Flintstone WSCS Circle 2 Meets

By MRS. H. V. BENDER

FLINTSTONE, Dec. 12—Mrs. Nan R. Easton was hostess Tuesday evening to members of the WSCS Circle No. 2 at her home here.

Mrs. Lawrence Smith, president, was in charge of the Christmas devotions. A candle-light service was held. The Rev. B. F. Hartman led the prayers.

At the short business session Mrs. Willie Perrin turned in $12.90 from the sale of waste paper. The total returns from waste paper drives is $36.60.

Secret sisters were revealed and gifts distributed. New sisters will be drawn at the January meeting when the society will meet with the Rev. and Mrs. Hartman. Mrs. H. V. Bender will conduct devotionals.

Christmas refreshments were served by the hostess who was assisted by her daughters, Miss Eleanor Eaton and Mrs. R. O. Dolly.

Elect Officers

Mrs. Charles Shriver was elected president of the Thompson Bible clas at their recent meeting at the home of Mrs. H. K. Cheney.

Other officers are Mrs. Robert Farlow, vice president; Mrs. Guy Stonestreet, secretary; Miss Anna Beck, treasurer, and Mrs. H. V. Bender, gift fund treasurer.

Mrs. Charles Shriver was in charge of the devotionals. Mrs. Robert Farlow presided.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. L. L. Littlefield and Mrs. Guy Stonestreet will be in charge of devotionals.

Mrs. Littlefield distributed envelopes to be filled and turned in to the church furnishing committee.

Homemakers To Meet

The Flintstone Homemakers will hold their annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. B. C. Robinette and Miss Pearl Wilson Friday evening.

Miss Wilson, the retiring president, will conduct a short business session and new officers will be installed.

Mrs. Nan R. Eaton, recreation chairman, and Mrs. B. C. Robinette, program chairman, will be in charge.

Personals

Pvt. Verl M. Roby returned to Camp Dix, N. J., after spending a couple of days with his wife, Mrs. Helen Willison Roby, here, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Roby, Everett star route.

CHILD, 9, LEUKEMIA VICTIM, DIES; PARTY TO BE HELD ANYWAY

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Dec. 12. (AP)—Nine-year-old Myrna Tawney, who had been suffering from leukemia in a Fairmont hospital, died tonight, but the Christmas party which had been planned for her tomorrow will go off as scheduled.

Hospital attaches reported that upon request of the child's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell D. Tawney, Jordan, the party will be held for other children receiving treatment at the institution.

The party for the child who was granted her wish for "lots of bananas" last week had been scheduled for Friday, but because of a change in her condition physicians advised that it be held one day earlier.

The child who was in a semi-conscious condition last night had learned of the special entertainment planned for her and kept repeating that she wanted to go to the party, physicians said. She was conscious at short intervals during the early morning hours, but lost consciousness again in the afternoon.

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Edward Markwood Dies in Keyser

By LUKE MCDOWELL

KEYSER, W. Va., Dec. 12 — Edward Hutchinson Markwood, 68, died Tuesday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. James Stewart, 260 South Main street.

For several years he had been living alone in the Old Markwood home on Route 50 midway between Ridgeville and Burlington. He had been suffering from heart trouble for a long time, though his condition was not considered serious. He made the trip to Keyser Tuesday to consult his doctor and decided to spend the night with his sister. He was stricken earlier in the evening and died shortly before midnight.

He was born at the Markwood homestead and spent the early years of his life there, working in the old woolen mill and on the home farm. He attended the Markwood rural school.

In early manhood he was employed by Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company, working out of Keyser as trainman. He later lived for some time in Pittsburgh. He came back to Mineral several years ago and since then resided at the old home. His parents were the late John W. and Tirzah Taylor Markwood.

He is survived by a brother and two sisters. They are William H. Markwood, McMecken, W. Va., and Mrs. James Stewart and Mrs. Benjamin Grayson, Keyser.

Services will be held at the home of Mrs. Stewart, 260 South Main street, at 2 p. m. Friday. Interment will be in the Stone chapel cemetery near the Markwood home.

Attend Council Meeting

The Rev. O. H. Dorsey, pastor First Methodist church, and the Rev. H. S. Myerly, pastor of Grace Methodist church, with large delegations from their churches were in Piedmont Tuesday night where meetings of the Moorefield district council of the Youth Fellowship and the district council of the Crusade for Christ were held in Trinity Methodist church.

Most of the churches of the district were represented in both meetings and plans were laid for carrying on the work through the coming year. After the business sessions the Piedmont group sponsored a social hour and served refreshments.

Hospital Notes

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Riffle, Burlington, in Potomac Valley hospital.

A son was born to Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Courier in Potomac Valley hospital.

A son was born to Mrs. Mabel Guertier in Potomac Valley hospital. The father is serving in the army.

Others admitted to the hospital include Norman Lee Mill, 9, son of Mrs. Marie Mills; Junior Frank Lavorata, Piedmont; Mrs. Pauline Virginia Idleman, Mount Storm; Mrs. Calvin Wilt and Mrs. L. S. Blackburn, Keyser; Mrs. James E. Kenney, Westernport; Charles Lyons, Elk Garden, and Mrs. Mary High, Purgittsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Fefibaugh and daughter, Cecelia, have returned to their home in Alabama after spending two weeks with relatives in Keyser.

Attention Veterans

An open meeting of Veterans of Foreign Wars of Tri-Towns Post No. 4401 will be held at the home of Victory Post No. 155 American Legion at Westernport, Friday, 7:30 p. m. All veterans are invited to attend. West Virginia representative Fay F. Baker, will be present.
Adv.—N-T-Dec. 11-12-13-14.

Bedford To Test New Educational System for State

Directors and Superintendent Will Discuss Hyndman Adaptation

By LILLIAN HARDEN CRABTREE

HYNDMAN, Pa., Dec. 12 — Bedford county is one of three in Pennsylvania which will experiment with a new educational system, Prof. Lloyd G. Keller, chairman of the educational committee, told the Hyndman P.-T.A. at their meeting in the high school auditorium Tuesday evening.

If it proves successful, Keller said, it will become state-wide. The present system, he said, has been in effect since 1925 and is not adequate for present-day needs.

Keller and the school directors will meet Friday with the county superintendent to discuss the possibilities of inaugurating the new system locally.

The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Mary E. Sides who read greetings from the National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

Miss Mary Meyers reported on the recent membership drive. It was decided to donate $5 to the Bedford county Tuberculosis Association.

Mrs. Edward A. Shaffer quoted the Christmas stories from the Books of Matthew and John for the devotional. The girls glee club sang Christmas songs under the direction of Miss Dorothy Morgart. Miss Meyers closed the program by leading the group in the singing of Christmas carols.

The home economics students served a lunch after the program in the home economics room.

The next meeting will be held the third Tuesday in January instead of the customary second Tuesday.

Hyndman Briefs

The high school band will give a concert Thursday and Friday of this week at 8 p. m. in the firemen's hall. Admission will be by a patron's ticket which was issued for donations sometime ago. Those who do not have patrons' tickets will be admitted by regular admission.

Pfc. Warren Sterry, son of Earl Sterry, RFD 1, was discharged recently after service overseas. He returned to Baltimore after visiting his father, Sterry served at Pearl Harbor, New Zealand, Australia, Bombay, Iraq, Iran, Italy, Sicily, France and England.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barden and daughters, Joyce and Jeanne, Cumberland, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mangus received word that their son, Devon, arrived in San Francisco after serving with the marines in the South Pacific.

Mrs. Shannon Burkett visited relatives in Philadelphia, Sunday.

Christmas Trees For Sale
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Lonaconing Girl Will Be Soloist At Carol Service

Leona Green Will Sing "Cantique de Noel" at Event in Frostburg

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

FROSTBURG, Dec. 12 — One of the feature numbers of the Christmas carol service to be held Friday evening at Frostburg State Teachers college will be a rendition of "Cantique de Noel," by a chorus with Miss Leona Green, Lonaconing, as soloist.

The entire program, to be presented by the Maryland Singers, under direction of Prof. Maurice Matteson, will be reminiscent of the Christmas season. Miss Jean Weller, soloist, together with a quartet consisting of Drummond Orr, Donald Morgan, Darleen Warnick and Ann Llewellyn, will present "Sing O Heavens," by Berthold Tours.

Miss Ruth Robinson and Mrs. Gloria Nesbitt will appear in a vocal duet, "Gabriel from the Heaven Descending," with Drummond Orr, the male soloist. They will be accompanied by the chorus.

"At Christmas" will be sung by the Misses Janice Friend, Helen Timney, Clara Sigler, Dorothea Ebert, Andrew DiUbaldo and Miss Barbara Martin will sing the traditional carol, "The First Noel," with chorus accompaniment. Miss Ann Llewellyn and Miss Ruth Robinson will play a piano duet, "Now Comes the Gentle Savior," by Bach.

The service, annually one of the outstanding events of the college year, will be presented before an attractive background of stage setting, and the program, beginning at 8 p. m., will be open to the general public.

Dedication Service Planned

The seventy-fourth anniversary of the dedication of the present First Methodist church structure will be observed with special services Sunday, December 16. At the morning service, the Rev. Watson E. Holly will preach his special Christmas sermon and also receive a class of adults into church membership. There will be special music by the choir.

In the evening there will be a Christmas carol service. The choir will broadcast from 7 p. m. to 7:20 p. m. at 7:30 the service inside the church will begin. There will be no sermon, but a service entirely of singing of carols by the congregation and by three choirs, under the direction of Prof. Arthur Thomas. All three of the choirs will sing special selections. The candles will be lighted in the windows of the church.

The public is cordially invited to all of these services.

Sportsmen Elect Officers

Meeting last evening for its final session of the current year, the Allegany-Garrett County Sportsmen's Association elected officers for the ensuing year.

They are Henry Rank, president; Harry Morgan, vice president; Gurney Beeman, secretary, and William Stewart, treasurer. Rank succeeds Fred Crowe, who has served twice as president, and Beeman succeeds Rudolph Nickel, a former president who has been serving as secretary since the death of the late R. Hilary Lancaster.

Following the election of officers, [illegible] was presented with an attractive pen and pencil set by A. C. [illegible]wart, the first president of the association.

Crowe responded with [illegible] address thanking the members [illegible] their cooperation during the past year and for the help they had given the conservation forum, including a cash donation of $25.

Rank will announce the appointment of an executive committee at the first meeting in January.

Hyman Lipschitz Dies

Hyman Lipschitz, about 70, a former resident and well-known junk dealer of Frostburg, dropped dead on a Baltimore street Tuesday afternoon. According to information received here, Lipschitz was out walking when he was suddenly stricken. Baltimore police investigated and through credentials learned his identity.

Police found a note in the man's pocket bearing the name of Lt. (j.g.) Milton Gerson, USN, Lord Baltimore hotel. Lt. Gerson is a former Cumberland attorney. It is thought that Mr. Lipschitz was en route to the hotel for a visit with Lt. Gerson when he was stricken. He resided at the Jewis Home for the Aged.

Two cousins who reside in Cumberland, Samuel and Robert Kaplon, are in Baltimore for the services.

Mrs. Eliza Darr Dies

Mrs. Eliza Jane Darr, 75, widow of John Darr, LaVale, died Wednesday morning in Miners hospital, where she had been a patient a week.

A native of Moorefield, W. Va., Mrs. Darr was a daughter of the late Henry and Anna Jones, and moved from Westernport seven years ago. She had resided with her daughter, Mrs. Wayne Irwin, at LaVale.

Two other daughters, Miss Bertha Darr, LaVale and Mrs. Russell Mullen, Westernport, and two sons, William and Samuel Darr, both of Westernport, also survive.

Arrangements have not been made.

John N. Powers Dies

John N. Powers, 77, a retired mine worker, died early this evening at his home, 132 Maple street, where he had been seriously ill for the past two weeks. He had been in failing health for several months.

A native of Frostburg, Mr. Powers was a son of the late John and Rachel Powers. A member of St. Michael's Catholic church and the Holy Name society of the church, he retired from active employment in 1935. His wife, Mrs. Emma McKenzie Powers, died many years ago.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. John Manley, Frostburg, and Mrs. Thomas Condon, Cumberland; three sisters, Miss Anne Powers and Mrs. Mollie Byrnes, both of Frostburg, and Mrs. George Shappe, Toledo, O.; two brothers, Clarence and Frank T. Powers, both of Frostburg; and two grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Frostburg Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Broadwater, 114 Grant street, announce the birth of a daughter Sunday morning in Miners hospital.

The W.S.C.S. of Mt. Zion church, Long Stretch, Garrett county, held

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NOTICE TO MOOSE

All members of Frostburg Lodge No. 348 Loyal Order of Moose are requested to meet at the Moose Home Friday 1:30 P.M. to attend the funeral of our deceased brother, Benjamin Zarger. Please bring card.

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A meeting of the stockholders of this bank will be held at its banking house on Tuesday, January 8, 1945, between the hours of 2 and 3 p. m. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may be properly brought before such meeting.

William B. Yates
Treasurer.

Keplinger Rites Held at His Home

By MYRTLE K. PARK

PETERSBURG, W. Va., Dec. 12 — Funeral services were held yesterday for Benjamin Clayton Keplinger, 75, at his late home near Petersburg and burial was in the family cemetery nearby.

Mr. Keplinger was found dead in bed Sunday morning. He had been in ill health for some time.

He was born near Maysville, a son of the late Abraham and Sarah McDonald Keplinger, Maysville. His wife, Elizabeth May Keplinger, died a number of years ago.

A son, Arnold Keplinger, Keyser, and the following brothers survive—Walter S. Keplinger, Spencer Keplinger, William C. Keplinger and Thomas J. Keplinger, Maysville.

Meet in Hawaii

Reginald Roby, a navy pilot, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Roby, North Main street, left Seattle, Wash., Saturday, November 24 and arrived by plane in Hawaii the next day at noon. He got in touch with his brother, Donald, who has been in the navy on the island more than two years, he wrote home.

Donald reported that he went on a bombing trip with Reginald Tuesday and that they went up 10,000 feet and dived straight down at the target, pulled out of the dive at 3000 feet and came in on a three-point landing.

Personals

Miss Lee Shobe, who has been working in Ohio is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ida Shobe, Dorcas.

Mrs. Margelia Stonestreet See, Cumberland, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Stonestreet, Maysville.

Cpl. James H. Ashenfelter, who returned recently from the European theater, received his discharge at Camp Meade yesterday and returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ashenfelter, yesterday.

Seaman Paul Eskridge called his wife from Philadelphia yesterday and told her that he expected to receive his discharge this week and would arrive home shortly. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Eskridge, Virginia avenue.

Mrs. Charlotte Hamstead Harman has accepted a position at the Petersburg Pepsi Cola Company here and Miss June Cornell has resigned her position there and will return to Cumberland the first of the year.

Mrs. Thomas Pownell, Romney, who has been here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Paskel Thompson, returned home.

Sgt. Bean Sears, Camp Atterbury, Ind., is here visiting friends and relatives.

Services Held For John Lief

By W. A. SHOEMAKER

MEYERSDALE, Pa., Dec. 12 — Brief services for John William Lief, 52, who died Sunday at the home of his sisters, the Misses Margaret and Mae Lief, were held last evening, with the Rev. Thomas J. Houghton, pastor of SS. Philip and James' Catholic church, officiating.

Mr. Lief, who was born in Rockwood, and whose parents died many years ago, spent much of his life in the army. Approximately thirty years were spent in the regular army. In the First World war he fought in an infantry division and in World War II he served in the merchant marine, transporting oil and gasoline from Texas to points in the Pacific theater.

A short time ago he came to Meyersdale to spend some time with relatives and later became ill, passing away Sunday.

Besides his two sisters he is survived by another sister, Mrs. Thomas Rees, Johnstown; three brothers—Augustus Lief, B and O. engineer, Cumberland; Robert Lief, also in the employ of the B. and O., Meyersdale, and Leo Lief, Johnstown.

The body was removed this afternoon to the Baltimore and Ohio railway station, accompanied by a guard of honor composed of members of Charles E. Kelly Post No. 112, American Legian, and placed aboard train for Port Arthur, Texas, his home, where additional services will be held December 15 and where interment will be made. His widow, who survives, resides at Port Arthur.

Mrs. Neimiller Dies

Mrs. Carrie Landis Neimiller, 79, died last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mahlon Reich, nearby Berkeley.

Born in Somerset county, she was a daughter of Joseph and Margaret Fleegle Landis. Her husband, Isaac Neimiller, died a number of years ago.

Surviving are seven children — Norman Neimiller, Meyersdale; William Neimiller, at home; Mrs. Reich, Joseph Neimiller and Mrs. Joseph Bender, Cleveland, and Mrs. Elmer Fike and Mrs. Albert Barmoy, Summit township. She also leaves a sister, Mrs. Lloyd Hostetler, Meyersdale; twenty grandchildren and fourteen great-grandchildren.

Investigate Robbery

State police of the Somerset substation were in Meyersdale today investigating the burglary at the Getty service station early Sunday morning. Seventeen cartons of cigarets and the change in the cash register were stolen.

The police also investigated the burglarizing of the Grof department store, Berlin, where merchandise amounting to approximately $900 was taken by the thieves.

One of the burglars changed clothes in the store and left behind a pair of light blue gabardine trousers and an oxford gray suit coat.

Announces Marriage

Mrs. Hattie Elliot, Frostburg, announced the marriage of her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Elliott and Max L. Engle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd F. Engle, Meyersdale. The ceremony took place Friday, November 30, in the parsonage of the Methodist church, Frostburg, the pastor officiating.

The bride wore a light blue dress with brown accessories, and a corsage of gardenias. Before her marriage she was employed by the Celanese corporation.

The bridegroom, a veteran of service in the Pacific, was discharged from service as a master sergeant early in October.

Meyersdale Briefs

Members of the Meyersdale fire company have completed stringing colored electric lights along Main, Center and Monument streets, and the current will be turned on shortly. These lights were not on in the war years.

The annual Christmas pageant by the choirs and members of the Church of the Brethren will be held next Sunday evening in the auditorium of the church.

A basketball game is scheduled to take place Christmas day at 7:15 p. m. between the All-Star Red Heads, champion female basketeers, and Meyersdale's ex-servicemen. Dancing will follow the game. The event is being sponsored for the benefit of the building fund of the Meyersdale community hospital.

Personals

Mrs. Lawrence Lowstuter, State theatre, visited her son, S 2-c Don Lowstuter, over the weekend at Great Lakes naval training station, Ill., where he has been a pneumonia patient in the station hospital for about two weeks.

Sgt. J. William Beynon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Beynon, Sherman street, has arrived home, having been discharged at Indiantown Gap. He was in the army for forty-two months, spending thirty months overseas as a radio operator and traffic controller at an air base. Before entering the military service he was employed as a linotype operator by the Meyersdale Republican.

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Harold Miller, Miss Dawson Wed In Westernport

Double-ring Ceremony Is Performed in First Baptist Church

By GEORGE W. DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT, Dec. 12 — Miss Peggy Dawson, daughter of Mrs. Helen Dawson, 222 Philos avenue, and the late William C. Dawson, and Harold Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Miller, East Main street, Frostburg, were married at a double ring ceremony last night at the First Baptist church by the Rev. William B. Orndorff, pastor.

Harold Baker, Piedmont, sang, "I Love You Truly", and the traditional wedding marches were played by Miss Miriam Orndorff.

Mrs. Milburn Spiker, National, was her neice's bridesmaid and David Paugh was the bridegroom's best man.

The bride wore a medium blue street-length suit with black accessories and a corsage of white gardenias.

Mrs. Spiker was attired in an aqua blue, street-length dress, brown accessories and corsage of mixed sweet peas.

Mrs. Miller is a 1945 graduate of Bruce high school and is employed at the G. C. Murphy company store, Piedmont, W. Va.

Miller was a member of the 1943 graduating class of Beall high school, Frostburg, and was discharged in October after spending twenty-seven months in Africa, Italy and Germany. He is employed at the Celanese plant.

When they return from spending their honeymoon at Hagerstown they will reside at Frostburg.

Frankland Rites Held

Services for Leroy Frankland, 74, were held from his residence, 205 Vine street, Westernport, yesterday afternoon with the Rev. Raymond L. Moore, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, Piedmont, officiating. Interment was in Philos cemetery, Westernport.

Pallbearers were Arthur Fazenbaker, Arthur Frankland, Dr. Lewis Engle, Robert Montgomery, Gilbert Murphy and Leo Lannon.

Fatkin Discharged

Sgt. Marshall Fatkin, who arrived at Boston on the Rensasleer, returned home, Luke, after receiving his discharge at Fort Meade. He was accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Virginia Morgan Fatkin.

He was in the service three years and in Europe two years with the Five Hundred Eighth parachute infantry band. After the war his outfit was special guard for Gen. Eisenhower, playing for parties at his headquarters, Frankfurt, and for President Truman for the financial investigating committee there.

Before entering the service he was a member of the faculty of Beall high school, Frostburg. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Fatkin, Mullen avenue, Luke.

Plans Service

A Christmas carol candlelight service will feature the meeting of the WSCS at Trinity Methodist church, Piedmont, Thursday, December 20, at 7:30 p. m.

Instrumental music, organ, piano and Hawaiian guitars with Miss Evelyn Biggs, organist, and Miss Pauline Whiteman, pianist, will present a program of "O Come All Ye Faithful," the processional; introductory remarks and devotional service by Mrs. Raymond W. Reeves, president; "Deck the Halls," "There's A Song in the Air," "Fairest Lord Jesus," offeratory and explanatory address by the Rev. R. L. Moore, "Silent Night," "A Joyful Christmas Song," and the recessional, "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

Car Damaged

The automobile owned and operated by Dayton Ours, 221 Vine street, was badly damaged when it collided with a coal truck operated by Alongo J. Dorsey and owned by W. T. Zielor, Martinsburg, W. Va., at the corner of Main and Washington streets.

Ours was making a left-hand turn on Main street, entering Washington street. The impact turned the car over on its side. Neither Ours nor the driver of the truck and his wife and little girl who were riding with him were injured.

The truck was also considerably damaged. The radiator of the truck was punctured and the front axle bent.

Burza Hanlin, chief of police, who investigated the accident stated that Ours admitted he was at fault as he did not see the truck until it was too late.

Mrs. Darr Rites

Services for Mrs. Eliza Jane Darr, 75, widow of John Darr, LaVale, formerly of Westernport, who died at 1 a. m. today at the Miners hospital, Frostburg, will be held Saturday at 2:30 p. m. at Boal's funeral home, Westernport.

The Rev. Raymond L. Moore, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, Piedmont, W. Va., will officiate. Interment will be in Philos cemetery, Westernport. The body is at the funeral home.

She was a native of Moorefield, W. Va., a daughter of the late Henry and Anna Jones and moved from Westernport to LaVale seven years ago. She resided with her daughter, Mrs. Wayne Ervin.

She is also survived by two other daughters, Miss Bertha Darr, LaVale, and Mrs. Russell Mullen, Westernport; two sons, William and Sam Darr, Westernport; twelve grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Child's Rites Planned

Services will be held at the residence for Violet Marie Smith, 5, daughter of Mrs. Arbutus Smith Watson, Bloomington, Thursday at 2:30 p. m. Burial will be in the Bloomington cemetery.

Besides her mother she is survived by her step-father Daniel Watson.

Show To Be Given

A variety show to be presented at the Bruce high school auditorium Thursday and Friday at 8 p. m. will be directed by R. R. Ritchie, member of the faculty.

It will include selections by the high school band, senior high octet, junior high octet and girls glee club. The physical education department will contribute several numbers.

Two one-act plays will be presented one by the Boys Hi-Y and one by a mixed group. The public may attend.

Elect Officers

Mrs. Clara Marteney was elected past chief at the December meeting of Calanthe Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters, Piedmont, W. Va., last night.

Other officers selected: Miss Evelyn Swann, most excellent chief; Mrs. Tola Samuels, excellent senior; Mrs. Rose Shade, excellent junior; Mrs. Margaret Hill, manager; Mrs. Delsie Dawson, mistress of finance; Mrs. Nora Wilt, protector.

Mrs. Ethel Windle, guard; Mrs. Eliza Grandstaff, pianist; Mrs. Estella Nealis, captain of degree staff; Mrs. Daisy Dick, representative to Grand Lodge; Mrs. Ada McKenzie, alternate; Mrs. Ada McKenzie, installing officer, and Mrs. Vivian McKenzie, press correspondent. The officers will be installed the first meeting in January.

Their annual Christmas party followed the meeting and gifts were exchanged. Secret sisters were revealed. Those having birthday in October, November and December were honored and presented with a gift.

Westernport Briefs

Miss Anita Dicken, music instructor, will direct a Christmas play to be presented Thursday at 8 p. m. at the December meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association at the Piedmont high school. The program will also include group singing of Christmas carols. Refreshments will be served.

Harry Cosner, Main street, who has been seriously ill is somewhat improved at the Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser.

Frank Lavorata, Jr., 234 West Fairview street, Piedmont, entered Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser, yesterday for observation and treatment.

An open meeting of Tri-Towns Post No. 4401 Veterans of Foreign Wars will be held Friday at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Victory Post No. 155, American Legion, Fay F. Baker, Clarksburg, W. Va., director of extensions, will be present.

Melvin Riggleman, 28, Piedmont, sustained a fractured right shoulder Tuesday when he skidded on a scooter motor bike at the corner of Ashfield and Second street, Piedmont. He was taken to the Potomac Valley hospital at Keyser in automobile by Harold Fredlock.

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Adv.—N-T-Dec. 13.

Water Main Cleaning Triples Pipe Capacity

HAGERSTOWN, Dec. 12. (AP)—Cleaning of the water mains between Hagerstown and its mountain reservoirs at Smithsburg and Edgemont, almost tripled the capacity of the pipe lines.

Water Superintendent Richard Willson said today ten large piles of silt and rust, each pile weighing several tons, were removed from the mains and as a result the daily flow of water is now 1,700,000 gallons compared with daily flow of 600,000 gallons before cleaning.

Flintstone WSCS Circle 2 Meets

By MRS. H. V. BENDER

FLINTSTONE, Dec. 12—Mrs. Nan R. Easton was hostess Tuesday evening to members of the WSCS Circle No. 2 at her home here.

Mrs. Lawrence Smith, president, was in charge of the Christmas devotions. A candle-light service was held. The Rev. B. F. Hartman led the prayers.

At the short business session Mrs. Willie Perrin turned in $12.90 from the sale of waste paper. The total returns from waste paper drives is $36.60.

Secret sisters were revealed and gifts distributed. New sisters will be drawn at the January meeting when the society will meet with the Rev. and Mrs. Hartman. Mrs. H. V. Bender will conduct devotionals.

Christmas refreshments were served by the hostess who was assisted by her daughters, Miss Eleanor Eaton and Mrs. R. O. Dolly.

Elect Officers

Mrs. Charles Shriver was elected president of the Thompson Bible clas at their recent meeting at the home of Mrs. H. K. Cheney.

Other officers are Mrs. Robert Farlow, vice president; Mrs. Guy Stonestreet, secretary; Miss Anna Beck, treasurer, and Mrs. H. V. Bender, gift fund treasurer.

Mrs. Charles Shriver was in charge of the devotionals. Mrs. Robert Farlow presided.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. L. L. Littlefield and Mrs. Guy Stonestreet will be in charge of devotionals.

Mrs. Littlefield distributed envelopes to be filled and turned in to the church furnishing committee.

Homemakers To Meet

The Flintstone Homemakers will hold their annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. B. C. Robinette and Miss Pearl Wilson Friday evening.

Miss Wilson, the retiring president, will conduct a short business session and new officers will be installed.

Mrs. Nan R. Eaton, recreation chairman, and Mrs. B. C. Robinette, program chairman, will be in charge.

Personals

Pvt. Verl M. Roby returned to Camp Dix, N. J., after spending a couple of days with his wife, Mrs. Helen Willison Roby, here, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Roby, Everett star route.

CHILD, 9, LEUKEMIA VICTIM, DIES; PARTY TO BE HELD ANYWAY

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Dec. 12. (AP)—Nine-year-old Myrna Tawney, who had been suffering from leukemia in a Fairmont hospital, died tonight, but the Christmas party which had been planned for her tomorrow will go off as scheduled.

Hospital attaches reported that upon request of the child's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell D. Tawney, Jordan, the party will be held for other children receiving treatment at the institution.

The party for the child who was granted her wish for "lots of bananas" last week had been scheduled for Friday, but because of a change in her condition physicians advised that it be held one day earlier.

The child who was in a semi-conscious condition last night had learned of the special entertainment planned for her and kept repeating that she wanted to go to the party, physicians said. She was conscious at short intervals during the early morning hours, but lost consciousness again in the afternoon.

MISSING

Fox terrier, tan and white, short tail, wearing red harness. Very friendly. Answers to the name "Pudgy." Reward if returned to T. S. Cooper, 27 Welsh street, Phone 44, Frostburg. Adv.—Times Dec. 12, News Dec. 13.

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Edward Markwood Dies in Keyser

By LUKE MCDOWELL

KEYSER, W. Va., Dec. 12 — Edward Hutchinson Markwood, 68, died Tuesday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. James Stewart, 260 South Main street.

For several years he had been living alone in the Old Markwood home on Route 50 midway between Ridgeville and Burlington. He had been suffering from heart trouble for a long time, though his condition was not considered serious. He made the trip to Keyser Tuesday to consult his doctor and decided to spend the night with his sister. He was stricken earlier in the evening and died shortly before midnight.

He was born at the Markwood homestead and spent the early years of his life there, working in the old woolen mill and on the home farm. He attended the Markwood rural school.

In early manhood he was employed by Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company, working out of Keyser as trainman. He later lived for some time in Pittsburgh. He came back to Mineral several years ago and since then resided at the old home. His parents were the late John W. and Tirzah Taylor Markwood.

He is survived by a brother and two sisters. They are William H. Markwood, McMecken, W. Va., and Mrs. James Stewart and Mrs. Benjamin Grayson, Keyser.

Services will be held at the home of Mrs. Stewart, 260 South Main street, at 2 p. m. Friday. Interment will be in the Stone chapel cemetery near the Markwood home.

Attend Council Meeting

The Rev. O. H. Dorsey, pastor First Methodist church, and the Rev. H. S. Myerly, pastor of Grace Methodist church, with large delegations from their churches were in Piedmont Tuesday night where meetings of the Moorefield district council of the Youth Fellowship and the district council of the Crusade for Christ were held in Trinity Methodist church.

Most of the churches of the district were represented in both meetings and plans were laid for carrying on the work through the coming year. After the business sessions the Piedmont group sponsored a social hour and served refreshments.

Hospital Notes

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Riffle, Burlington, in Potomac Valley hospital.

A son was born to Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Courier in Potomac Valley hospital.

A son was born to Mrs. Mabel Guertler in Potomac Valley hospital. The father is serving in the army.

Others admitted to the hospital include Norman Lee Mill, 9, son of Mrs. Marie Mills; Junior Frank Lavorata, Piedmont; Mrs. Pauline Virginia Ideman, Mount Storm; Mrs. Calvin Wilt and Mrs. L. S. Blackburn, Keyser; Mrs. James E. Kenney, Westernport; Charles Lyons, Elk Garden, and Mrs. Mary High, Purgittsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Fefibaugh and daughter, Cecelia, have returned to their home in Alabama after spending two weeks with relatives in Keyser.

Attention Veterans

An open meeting of Veterans of Foreign Wars of Tri-Towns Post No. 4401 will be held at the home of Victory Post No. 155 American Legion at Westernport, Friday, 7:30 p. m. All veterans are invited to attend. West Virginia representative Fay F. Baker, will be present.
Adv.—N-T-Dec. 11-12-13-14.

Bedford To Test New Educational System for State

Directors and Superintendent Will Discuss Hyndman Adaptation

By LILLIAN HARDEN CRABTREE

HYNDMAN, Pa., Dec. 12 — Bedford county is one of three in Pennsylvania which will experiment with a new educational system, Prof. Lloyd G. Keller, chairman of the educational committee, told the Hyndman P-TA at their meeting in the high school auditorium Tuesday evening.

If it proves successful, Keller said, it will become state-wide. The present system, he said, has been in effect since 1925 and is not adequate for present-day needs.

Keller and the school directors will meet Friday with the county superintendent to discuss the possibilities of inaugurating the new system locally.

The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Mary E. Sides who read greetings from the National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

Miss Mary Meyers reported on the recent membership drive. It was decided to donate $5 to the Bedford county Tuberculosis Association.

Mrs. Edward A. Shaffer quoted the Christmas stories from the Books of Matthew and John for the devotional. The girls glee club sang Christmas songs under the direction of Miss Dorothy Morgart. Miss Meyers closed the program by leading the group in the singing of Christmas carols.

The home economics students served a lunch after the program in the home economics room.

The next meeting will be held the third Tuesday in January instead of the customary second Tuesday.

Hyndman Briefs

The high school band will give a concert Thursday and Friday of this week at 8 p. m. in the firemen's hall. Admission will be by a patron's ticket which was issued for donations sometime ago. Those who do not have patrons' tickets will be admitted by regular admission.

Pfc. Warren Sterry, son of Earl Sterry, RFD 1, was discharged recently after service overseas. He returned to Baltimore after visiting his father, Sterry served at Pearl Harbor, New Zealand, Australia, Bombay, Iraq, Iran, Italy, Sicily, France and England.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barden and daughters, Joyce and Jeanne, Cumberland, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mangus received word that their son, Devon, arrived in San Francisco after serving with the marines in the South Pacific.

Mrs. Shannon Burkett visited relatives in Philadelphia, Sunday.

Christmas Trees For Sale
Cedar and pine. Dale Morrison, 410 Spruce street, Westernport.
Advertisement N-T Dec. 12-13-14-15-17-18

FOR SALE
A very limited assortment of fancy Canaan valley Balsam fir Christmas trees at the old McCulloh Furniture stand, Green street, Piedmont, for sale by H. W. Seaber.
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Annual Sick Leave To Be Provided For City Employes

A program giving fifteen days annual sick leave to hourly city employes was decided upon yesterday at a conference of the mayor and city council.

Under the plan, which would become effective January 1, hourly workers would be allowed fifteen days yearly sick leave which would be accumulated to a maximum of sixty days. This is the same schedule already in effect for policemen and firemen.

Employes with a year or more service will be entitled to fifteen days leave in 1946, it was decided. Currently hourly workers are allowed six days yearly sick leave but it does not accumulate.

Holidays Indefinite

No definite program was adopted as to paid holidays. Commissioner Hunter B. Helfrich urged that decisions along this line be made from time to time by the council. It was agreed, however, to pay hourly workers for eight hours for December 24 and 26, both of which will be observed as holidays by the city.

Salaried employes already get an undetermined amount of sick leave.

Mayor Thomas S. Post proposed that hourly workers be paid for four holidays a year.

Mayor Post also suggested that the city take steps to establish a veterans' housing center. The mayor said many veterans are unable to find places to live and that the problem is very serious for those with families.

The mayor suggested that the city establish a headquarters in the City Hall and employ a clerk, if necessary. He said persons with vacant rooms and apartments could register them.

Long Waiting List

Commissioner William E. McDonald, who is in the real estate business, said no homes or apartments are available and that he has a long waiting list with no prospects.

The mayor said he does not believe new housing will be available in less than a year and Commissioner Helfrich, a contractor, agreed with this statement.

Helfrich said it would not solve the immediate problem but suggested that returning veterans be given city-owned lots on the condition that they build a home as soon as possible. Helfrich said such a program would help the veterans and get lots back on the tax books.

No Settlement

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pany's proposal included a wage increase which combined with prior increases, constitutes an increase of 41½% in the drivers' base rate since January, 1941. There is no problem of reduced take home pay, shortening the working hours, or other changes in employee benefits.

"On December 11, 1945, a third meeting was held and the company was not informed that negotiations would be discontinued.

"The agreement now in effect makes full provision for the arbitration of any differences between the company and the union regarding the terms of the agreement.

"The company has complied with all the provisions of the existing contract.

"Call it what you will, the present work stoppage is a 'strike' and is in violation of the existing agreement."

Holding their "continuous meeting" in the Allegany Trades Council hall, Frederick street, Morrison said last night "We've been here since 4 o'clock this morning and will stay all night."

Want Overtime on Holidays

Besides the wage increase, Morrison said the union and company also are at odds over the reduction of the guaranteed hours for extra drivers during the fifteen-day period from ninety-five to eighty-five hours. The reduction of hours was refused, he said, adding that the union also is asking time and a half pay for work on holidays.

Morrison also pointed out that drivers of the Cumberland and Westernport Transit Company are paid an average of $1.08 per hour and that the Potomac Edison drivers seek equality of the pay scale. While the C. and W. firm is not part of the PE system, drivers for both are members of the same union local, he said.

The work stoppage came so suddenly that many Cumberlanders stood on corners waiting for buses for varying lengths of time before they learned of the situation.

It came, too, in the coldest weather of the year and as the Christmas shopping rush is reaching its peak.

Taxi Firms Swamped

Cumberlanders who ordinarily ride buses either walked or resorted to taxis, and the Astor Cab Company, largest taxi firm in the city, reported last night it was virtually "swamped" by the increase in calls.

On an average, a cab company official said, the firm handles about 500 calls in twenty-four hours. Yesterday, in twelve hours, about 1,000 calls were handled. Other cab firms in the city reported also that they were swamped with calls and were unable to answer all they received.

Officials at plants of the Celanese Corporation of America and the Kelly - Springfield Tire Company said they were quite pleased with the turnout of workers. They said operations were not seriously handicapped and that most employes were able to get to their jobs.

The Potomac Edison Company operates thirty-five buses in the Cumberland area. While it is not under contract to haul school children, under normal conditions it runs some special buses on its own accord to take students to Allegany and Fort Hill high schools.

Mayor Makes Statement

Commenting on the transportation tieup, Mayor Thomas S. Post said yesterday that service should be restored as soon as possible.

"The Potomac Edison Company and the union should get together as soon as possible to start the buses running again," Mayor Post said. "Lack of transportation is inconvenient at this time of the year because of cold weather, which makes walking unpleasant."

—Canada is the third largest country in the world, and the largest in the western hemisphere.

Marine Vet of Three Years' Duty, 18, Goes Back for Education

HAGERSTOWN, Dec. 12 (AP)—David Cianelli, 18, ex-marine corporal with three years service and a chest full of ribbons and citations, is back in the classrooms of the Hagerstown high school to complete the education interrupted when he "fibbed" about his age to get in the marine corps.

"Now I realize how important an education is in this world, and I am going to try and complete the remainder of my three years of schooling in a year and a half," said the husky, veteran of battles of the Marshalls, Marianas and Gilbert islands.

Stating that he plans to enter college after completion of his school, Cianelli said, "When I entered the marines I was just another kid. By being in the service I think I'll get more out of school than I would have before."

Marylanders Win Three Bronze and Five Silver Stars

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12 (AP)—The Third service command announced today the award of five Silver Star Medals and three Bronze Star Medals to Marylanders. Seven of the awards were posthumous.

The medals were presented by Col. Howard Donnelly, acting deputy chief of staff of the service command, in Baltimore ceremonies.

Staff Sgt. Thomas H. Hayward, of Secretary, killed in action, was the only soldier in the group to win both medals. Mr. and Mrs. William T. Hayward, also of Secretary, his aunt and uncle, received the medals.

The citation for the Silver Star praised Sgt. Hayward's "initiative and fighting spirit in the face of heavy fire" near Vire, France, August 4, 1944, while the Bronze Star citation was for "exceptionally meritorious service from June 12, 1944 to July 16, 1944."

Mr. and Mrs. Adlaide E. Bradley, Baltimore, received the Silver Star posthumously awarded Second Lt. William A. Burns for "gallantry in action near Trebur, Germany," March 24, 1945.

Mrs. Cecilia L. Jamison, the widow of Staff Sgt. Irvin Jamison, also of Baltimore, accepted the Silver Star for "gallantry in action" at Antipolo in the Philippines last March.

Pfc. Edward G. Martin of (route 2) Hagerstown, posthumously received the Bronze Star for "meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy" during the occupation of Okinawa. The medal was presented to his father, P. L. Martin.

Ex-Sgt. Charles S. Thompson, Baltimore, recently discharged from the army, won the Bronze Star for "valorous conduct in action" in the Italian theater.

Silver stars for "gallantry in action" were also awarded posthumously to Staff Sgt. Roland A. Lusby, Elkton, and Sgt. John L. Busch, Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Lusby and John W. Busch received their sons' medals from Col. Donnelly.

TWO RUSSIAN WAR BRIDES ARRIVE IN THIS COUNTRY

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12 (AP) — Two Russian war brides — believed to be the first brides of Yanks permitted to leave Russia — were looking forward today to their first American Christmas.

Tamara Tupikova Jacques, bride of Chief Warrant Officer Ernest A. Jacques, Philadelphia, and Ekaterina Nestorchuck Golubowsky, wife of Technical Sgt. George Golubowsky, near Claysville, Pa., arrived at the port of Baltimore after a forty-four-day ocean voyage which had been preceded by a six-month wait to obtain visas to leave Russia.

The men said their wives, whom they both met on blind dates, were among the first five war brides in Moscow to get visas.

They added that there were girls in Russia who have been married to Americans for more than two years and still were waiting to get over.

"They could get passage, but it's the visas from Russia that are the problem," Sgt. Golubowsky added.

A former instructor at Fort Monmouth, N. J., Sgt. Golubowsky will report after Christmas to Camp Crowder, Mo., where he hopes he will be discharged soon to return to his farm near Claysville. He and his Russian bride plan to spend Christmas in Claysville.

Jacques, who was assigned to a job in the Pentagon in Washington after he left Moscow last August, said he was taking his bride directly to Washington and already had an apartment waiting there.

The Russian women arrived in Baltimore dressed in American attire which had been sent to them by their husbands.

FIVE MARYLAND MEN GET HIGH SALARIES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12—(AP)—Names of five Marylanders were included today in the Treasury department's supplemental list of individuals receiving from corporations compensation for services in excess of $75,000.

The new report covered the calendar year of 1943 and the fiscal years ending in 1944, as well as a supplemental report for the calendar year 1942 and fiscal years ended in 1943.

The Maryland list, showing the end of the period for which the individual was paid, included:

A. E. Duncan, Commercial Credit Company, December 31, 1943, $85,000 salary; Charles E. McManus, Crown Cork and Seal Company Inc., December 31, 1943, $108,333.33 salary; Charles B. Duncan, Sr., the Hecht Company, January 31, 1944, $50,000 salary, $123,708.34 bonus, total compensation, $173,708.34; Moses H. Goodman, The Hecht Company, January 31, 1944, $45,000 salary, $39,680.54 bonus, total compensation $84,680.54; Malcolm Hecht, The Hecht Company, January 31, 1944 $45,000 salary, $31,479.97 bonus, total compensation $76,479.97.

Kisner Re-elected Tucker County AAA Committee Leader

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, W. Va., Dec. 12 — George W. Kisner was re-elected chairman of the county AAA committee of three members which will administer affairs of the AAA program in Tucker county.

Other members elected to the county committee Tuesday were Lindsey Reed, vice-chairman, and H. Clay Long, member.

Chairman Kisner announced results of community committeemen's election as follows.

Parsons, No. 1 community, Luther Sturms, chairman; Elmer Rosier, vice chairman, and Clark Canfield, member.

Parsons, No. 2 community, Hugh Dumire, chairman; Archie G. Fridley, vice chairman, and John W. Hershberger, member.

Flanagan Hill community, Ben F. Thompson, chairman, R. E. Aberle, vice chairman, and Jacob Raines, member.

St. George community, Harvey Wiles, chairman, Selby Adams, vice chairman, and Gilbert Wiles, member.

Pifer church community, A. Ebgle Moore, chairman; Walter E. Miller, vice chairman, and Harry Poling, member.

1946 Goal Announced

County Agent A. L. Kidd, Parsons, announced that the Tucker county farm bureau now has seventy-four of the 206 membership goal for 1946.

The new members joining within the past week have been Frances Newlon, H. B. Haller, Parker K. Poling, Luther Sturms, Walter Plum and the Parsons Advocate, Parsons.

Ted Teter and Smith Brothers, Red Creek; Porter Varner, Montrose; S. Mac Adams and Ray Adams, St. George; Gerald Bible, John L. White, F. C. Stemple and H. G. Fridley, Hendricks, and Frank Harr and John Hershberger, Davis.

Plan Youth Party

Mrs. Harold Shiflet, gener chairman for a Christmas party for the young people, aged 12 to 20, announced that the party and a program will be given in the high school auditorium Friday evening, December 21.

The youth conservation committee is composed of members of the Woman's club, Parsons, who are sponsors for the movement.

The club will endeavor to obtain two representatives from each of the civic clubs and other organizations of the town to make the committee permanent to provide entertainment for the youth of this town for the coming year.

The various committees will be: entertainment—Mrs. H. J. Pinney, Mrs. B. F. Harris, Mrs. Winona Dumire, Mrs. M. J. Small, Mrs. A. A. Dorsey, Mrs. James H. Lotspeich, Mrs. George Donalds and a group of high school students including Emily Ann Dudley, Joanna Felton, Helen Felto, Philip Wolf, Richard Higgs, James Auvil and Don Auvil.

The decoration and arrangement committee will be Mrs. Warren Rightmire, Miss Opal Lutz, Mrs. Jack Cross, Mrs. Paul Hinkle and Mrs. Junior Wolf; publicity—Mrs. R. K. McClain, and Mrs. Winona Dumire; prize—Mrs. C. D. Smith, Mrs. B. F. Long, Sr., and Mrs. Anna Few; refreshment and favors—Mrs. William Hamby, Mrs. J. P. Baker, Miss Esther Sill and Mrs. Frank Little.

Clean-up—Miss Marie Hahn, Mrs. F. K. Lyons, Mrs. Myrtle Blackman, Mrs. J. Harold Felton, Mrs. Minnie Ford and Mrs. Ethel Dixon.

The youth conservation committee is composed of Mrs. William Hamby, Mrs. C. D. Smith, Mrs. R. K. McClain, Mrs. George Donalds and Mrs. H. D. Shiflet.

The party will be a Christmas party and a box social. Only those with tags to be purchased in advance will be admitted.

Natal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. John Gainer, Kerens, announce the birth of a son, weighing nine pounds and fifteen ounces, in the Tucker county hospital December 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cassidy, Kempton, announce the birth of a son, Richard David, in the Tucker county hospital December 7. This is their second child and weighed eight pounds.

Sgt. and Mrs. Leon Browning, Thomas, announce the birth of a son, weighing seven pounds and seven ounces, in the Tucker county hospital December 9. This is their third child and first son. The mother is the former Virginia Hendricks, Thomas, and the father is now stationed with the army at Lincoln, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Bonner, Thomas, announce the birth of a son, their third child and first son, in the Tucker county hospital December 9. The mother is the former Nellie Wymer. The father a recent discharged veteran, is now employed by the Davis Coal and Coke Company.

Arnold Promoted

Mrs. Elsa Saygers Arnold, Davis, received word that her husband, Garland Arnold, has been promoted to the rank of first lieutenant with the army air force now stationed in China.

He is with the Three Hundred and Fifteenth troop carrier squadron.

Two Injured

Myra Golightly, 9, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Golightly, Davis, was treated by a local physician for severe cuts and bruises of the face as a result of an accident while riding on her sled Tuesday evening.

Mary Lou Combs, 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Combs, Davis, was also treated by a local physician for injuries of the face she received when the sled she and Bonnie Lou Bohnke were riding collided into a parked car. The Bohnke child was not injured.

Special Service Planned

The Rev. James H. Lotspeich, pastor of the First Methodist church, Parsons, announces that special candlelight service will be held in his church Sunday evening, December 16, in remembrance of the men who died in the war. They will also honor returning servicemen. The choir of the church will sing special musical selections in connection with the program.

—The first issue of United States stamps was made in 1847.

—The national debt in 1845 was almost $16,000,000.

George W. Reid Rites Are Planned

Funeral services for George William Reid, 77, who died suddenly yesterday morning about 4 o'clock at his home, 324 Emily street, will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Stein funeral home.

The Rev. David C. Watson, rector of Emmanuel Episcopal church, will officiate and interment will be in Rose Hill cemetery.

Mr. Reid, employed in the engineering department at the Celanese plant, worked Tuesday and arose earlier than usual yesterday after reporting he did not feel well.

He was a native of this city, a son of the late Robert and Bridget Martz Reid. He was a brother of the late J. Alfred Reid, former city commissioner.

Mr. Reid was an engineer at the Cumberland Steel Company before becoming a Celanese employe eighteen years ago.

He was a member of Emmanuel Episcopal church, Tonkoway Tribe No. 120, Improved Order of Red Men; Local 1874, Textile Workers Union of America, and the Republican Club.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Ella R. Farrell Reid, he is survived by the following children, Mrs. Mayme E. Leo, Mrs. Ruth Atwell, Robert E. Reid and Mrs. John E. Reid, all of this city; Mrs. Madeline Beard, Washington, D. C., and Eugene F. Reid, with the navy.

AMOS HYMES RITES

Funeral services for Amos S. Hymes, 41, former Celanese worker and veteran of World War II, who died yesterday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lemuel Hedrick, 519 Pine avenue, after a lingering illness, will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in Mt. Hope Christian church.

The Rev. J. L. Stewart, pastor of Assembly of God church, will officiate and interment will be in the church cemetery.

A native of Bedford county, Pa., he was a son of the late George P. and Nancy S. Hymes.

Mr. Hymes was a member of Cumberland Aerie No. 245, Fraternal Order of Eagles.

Also surviving are four other sisters, Mrs. James Snyder, Mt. Savage; Mrs. Arley Nelson, Baltimore pike; Mrs. Forrest Carrick, this city, and Mrs. Arthur Green, Ridgeley, and one brother, William Hymes, this city.

The body is at the Hafer funeral home.

MISS JOHNSON RITES

Funeral services for Miss Anna Johnson, 63, negress, who died Tuesday afternoon in Memorial hospital, will be conducted Friday morning at 11 o'clock at the home of her sister, Mrs. Eleanor Rhodes, 146 Wineow street, with whom she made her home.

Interment will be in Woodlawn cemetery here.

MATTINGLY RITES

Funeral services for William T. Mattingly, 68, Pittsburgh, Pa., a native of this city who died Friday in Chicago, were conducted yesterday morning in St. Patrick's Catholic church.

The Rev. Francis J. McKeown, assistant pastor, was the celebrant of the requiem mass and interment was in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers, members of Henry Hart Post No. 1411, Veterans of Foreign Wars, were John Mattingly, John Winters, Eugene Bergman, Vernon Winters, Paul Wenrich and Charles Burkey. Harry Barley sounded taps.

G. B. HOYLE RITES

Funeral services for G. Blaine Hoyle, 59, Baltimore and Ohio yard brakeman, who died Sunday at his home, 430 Homer street, were conducted yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home.

The Rev. Hixon T. Bowersox, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, officiated and interment was in Greenmount cemetery.

Pallbearers, members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, were Glen Henry, C. R. Cramer, R. A. Snider, R. C. Gilpin, E. W. Law and George E. P. Law.

MRS. CHESTER DAY

Mrs. Ethel May Day, 45, wife of Chester Day, 523 Brice street, Baltimore, died Monday morning in Baltimore General hospital.

She was a native of Mt. Savage, a daughter of the late Grant and Ida May Piper Brant.

Also surviving are three brothers, Harry A. Brant, this city, and Robert C. and Floyd L. Brant, both of Mt. Savage, and one sister, Mrs. Jesse Kirby, Bobtown, Pa.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Stein funeral home. Interment will be in the Methodist cemetery, Mt. Savage.

Five Join Army Here

Five men from this area enlisted in the army at the local recruiting station, according to Lt. H. C. McKinley, officer in charge of the local office.

Three of the recruits are enlisting for three years and the others will enter service unassigned. Those assigned are Robert Lee Whorton, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Whorton, of Flintstone, enlisting in the Air Corps; William Kenneth Grady, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Grady, of Piedmont, W. Va., entering the infantry, and Eugene Francis Keyes, 17, son of Mrs. William Keyes, of Piedmont, enlisting in the infantry.

The two unassigned men, both of Westernport, are Ronald Mayhew, 17, son of Mrs. Edith Mayhew, and David M. Kifer, 20, ward of Mrs. Mayhew. Both are entering the Army for two years.

Ernest Robinette

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an additional training course of four to five weeks before being assigned to Camp Stoneman.

Robinette's wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Robinette, now is en route to Camp Stoneman to join her husband.

He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Robinette, Bowling Green.

Among his brothers are Raymond, now working for a construction company in Arabia on a 2,600 mile oil pipeline; James, who was discharged recently after serving for three years in the European theater of operations, and Robert, who resides on Chases treet.

Orders Building

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supplies not covered by the regulation will be available for homes or multiple dwellings costing more than $10,000 a unit, and for commercial and industrial buildings and all other construction.

As during the war, the priorities program will be operated under the Second War Power act.

A spokesman for the National Housing Agency said it expects to be reassigned to the job of issuing priorities through the agency's field offices.

As for surplus building materials held by the government, Snyder said their release "will be expedited by special teams which will locate surpluses and sell them on the spot."

To Cope with Emergency

Arrangements are being made, he added, to see that at least seventy per cent of these materials goes into housing, with preference for veterans.

Snyder's statement emphasized that all steps being taken "are designed to cope with the current emergency."

"Solution of the long-range problem of providing the people with an adequate supply of moderately priced housing is being studied by the congress," the reconversion chief said, "and I am looking forward to constructive action through legislation."

Nothing less than peak production for several years will really solve the housing problem, Snyder asserted.

He estimated that more than 1,000,000 families are living "doubled-up" with other families because of the housing shortage.

"Many more will have to double up next year," Snyder predicted, adding that "hundreds of thousands of these will be veterans."

"We will do well," Snyder said, "if more than 500,000 housing units are built in 1946."

Governmental officials and construction industry representatives have estimated there will be a need for 3,000,000 new homes by the end of next year, and that ten to fifteen million will be required over the next ten years.

In his letter appointing Wyatt, Mr. Truman called on him "to make the machinery of housing production run as smoothly and speedily as possible, so that we may be able to make the peace production of homes equal to the task of housing our veterans and other civilians."

Gen. Marshall

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If the Philippines were reinforced with heavy bombers and other equipment in strength by that time, Marshall said he believed it might be enough of a deterrent to prevent open warfare.

"They would have continued to grab what they could get free, by infiltration," the general said. But that might not have carried them "over the line" which the United States-British-Dutch alliance considered an act of war.

Marshall conceded that he thought that the Hawaiian defenses at that time "would deter them from an attack there."

The witness said that at the time he considered the presence of the fleet at Pearl Harbor — where it was smashed Dec. 7—a "deterrent" to Japanese aggressive moves.

Rep. Keefe (R-Wis) developed that the fleet was taken out of Pearl Harbor and put on a mobile basis during an "alert" in June, 1940. He tried to learn why this wasn't done again during the tense days preceding the opening Japanese attack but Marshall, as an army man, was unable to supply the answer.

Marshall was asked by Keefe to express his opinion, as chief of staff, of the conditions as of Nov. 28, 1941, when Marshall said he signed the warning message sent to Lt. Gen. Walter C. Short in Hawaii.

"I was personally of the opinion that Japanese hostile action might break out at any time in the Pacific," Marshall replied.

"That would mean war?" Keefe asked.

"That would mean war," the witness replied.

Was it Marshall's intent, Keefe asked, to put Hawaii on a full alert with the warning message.

"That was my intention," Marshall replied.

Keefe had not completed his cross-examination when the committee adjourned for the day and Gen. Marshall was instructed to return tomorrow.

Ford Reiterates

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UAW) a wage increase and in those months past we thought by now we would be able to come here with a more pliable attitude on the wage question but circumstances over which we have no control have changed that picture. We don't feel that it is reasonable for you to press your demands now just because such a move subscribed to over-all union policy," he concluded.

Bugas, in the letter sent to the UAW earlier today, said the company was "paying the highest wages in the automotive industry."

Leonard termed the letter "a provocative act on the company's part" and said he objected to the release of the letter now "because the temper of the workers is not too good now." He expressed fear "the headlines would antagonize the workers."

Bugas's letter repeated arguments advanced by Mel B. Lindquist, superintendent of Ford labor relations, in a letter to the union on Nov. 14 when the company stated its general position on the issue of wage increases.

Bugas wrote to the union today that it "must consider our joint ability to increase employe productivity" and "our ability to get into full production."

Marines To Stay

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will be announced by the president then.

From diplomatic informants it was learned that the earliest possible time at which the marines could be withdrawn is four or five months away and they may actually be in China long after that.

Brakeman Killed by Car

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12 (AP) — A tragic ending came to Christmas shopping plans of Joseph B. Clark, 24, railroad brakeman who was hit by a gondola car and instantly killed yesterday.

In his pocket was found a list of Christmas presents he intended to buy for his widow, Madeline, and their two children.

James Baker, 66, Piedmont Man, Is Burned to Death

By GEORGE W. DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT, Dec. 12 — Vernon E. Rankin, state's attorney of Mineral county, West Virginia, said tonight that he will issue a verdict of accidental death in the death of James Henry Baker, 66, Ashfield street, Piedmont, W. Va., who was found lying burned to death on top of a stove at his home about 6 p. m. today.

The body was found by Edward Leighty, a neighbor, who had been coming in to look after Mr. Baker for the past few days, and by Chief of Police Charles E. Dornon. Mr. Baker, who lived alone, had been suffering from a cold for two days, Leighty said.

Leighty tried the door to Mr. Baker's one-room house and found it locked. He summoned Chief Dornon, who helped him break down the door.

When the body was discovered, Rankin said, it was lying on top of a two-burner coal oil stove. Both burners were turned on, and the man's clothing had been burned off completely. The state's attorney said it is presumed Mr. Baker suffered a heart attack and fell unconscious on top of the stove.

The body was removed to the Fredlock funeral home, Piedmont. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Rankin said no inquest is planned, although he will visit the scene of the tragedy tomorrow for a final investigation.

Mr. Baker, a former resident of Cross, W. Va., had been employed in odd jobs in Piedmont, although he had not worked for several weeks before his death.

Woman Hurt in Crash Is Slightly Improved

Mrs. Maude F. Hendrickson, wife of Joseph W. Hendrickson, 5 Ridgeway terrace, is slightly improved in a Uniontown, Pa., hospital where she was admitted November 20 suffering from three fractured vertebrae and fractures of the collarbone when the car her husband was driving toward Wheeling, W. Va., crashed at Fort Necessity, ten miles east of Uniontown.

Hendrickson reported it will be about a week before a cast can be applied and another week before Mrs. Hendrickson will be discharged from the hospital. She is the owner of the Peerless Beauty Shop.

Hendrickson was badly shaken when the car skidded on the ice as he was shifting into second gear and slipped over a twenty foot bank.

Sport Slants

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that amateur scrappers be compelled to have their long hair cut before they step through the ropes.

Several local boys are guilty of this practice and one of these days they're going to run smack into a haymaker while they are busily engaged in brushing back their locks.

During one of the bouts at SS. Peter and Paul gym Tuesday night one of the long haired amateurs stepped through the ropes and spent a greater part of the match brushing the wool out of his eyes.

Then the crowd went into convulsions of laughter when one of the galleryites wisecracked:

"Is there a barber in the house?"

Keep your eyes on that Piedmont high school basketball team this season is information given to us by "Eck" Miers, of Keyser, well known cage official.

Miers saw Coach Jeff Baker's ballhawks in action and says they look mighty good to him. He is especially high in his praise of Lou Tuicci, clever guard and crack shot.

Piedmont is due in Cumberland next Monday. The Mineral countians will play at Fort Hill.

MAY FORM LEAGUE

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12—(AP)—The Rev. William V. Herlihy, faculty moderator of athletics at Loyola college in Baltimore, announced today that the Baltimore college was in favor of forming an Eastern Catholic College League to provide competition in all sports on an organized basis.

Pay Scales for Nurses Is Subject for Survey Of Nurse Association

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12 (AP) — Pay scales for Maryland's private nurses were the subject of a study under way today by a committee of the Maryland Nurses Association.

Irene Duffy of the Instructive Visiting Nurses Association and chairman of the committee on personal practice, the group which is making the survey, said its purpose was stabilization of pay and working conditions.

Asserting that the shortage of nurses had not been eased since the end of the war, Blanche Powell, executive secretary of the State Nurses Association, added that the figure of 3,600 nurses registered with the organization was higher than the number actually available. Included in the figure, she said, were 2,200 from Baltimore City alone.

Miss Powell declared that many of the nurses who joined the army and navy have not resumed civilian practice since their release from the armed forces. Some were resting, and others, married, were giving up practice altogether as their husbands were discharged from the services, she said.

CIO Says Union

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pointment of our board is not intended to interfere in any way with the parties' collective bargaining which is now in process, and that it is greatly to be hoped that the parties will settle their differences by agreement."

Negotiations between General Motors and the union will resume tomorrow. The corporation has indicated a desire to reach an agreement over picketing practices at struck plants before going ahead to a solution on the wage issue.

The ation of President Truman marked his second intervention in the strike. Previously he had requested the strikers to return to work, but the union's General Motors council recommended against this, a stand so far supported in votes by UAW locals.

State Police Locate Wrecked Automobile

State police reported last evening that the car Walter Miller, 26, Berkeley Springs, W. Va., was driving Tuesday was located at Belle Grove on Route 40 yesterday morning.

Miller is a patient in Memorial hospital where he was admitted Tuesday at 7:15 p. m. suffering from a fractured left collarbone and a facial laceration. He told Troopers Glen D. Folk and Harry Holsinger that the car he was driving crashed on Route 40 six miles east of here.

Trooper Folk said the car, a 1938 Ford coupe bearing West Virginia tags, was badly damaged when it skidded on the ice and crashed against a telephone pole.

The state trooper added the case is still under investigation but that James Bishop, who gave his address as Hancock, and was a passenger in the car, has been released.

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Annual Sick Leave To Be Provided For City Employes

A program giving fifteen days annual sick leave to hourly city employes was decided upon yesterday at a conference of the mayor and city council.

Under the plan, which would become effective January 1, hourly workers would be allowed fifteen days yearly sick leave which would be accumulated to a maximum of sixty days. This is the same schedule already in effect for policemen and firemen.

Employes with a year or more service will be entitled to fifteen days leave in 1946, it was decided. Currently hourly workers are allowed six days yearly sick leave but it does not accumulate.

Holidays Indefinite

No definite program was adopted as to paid holidays. Commissioner Hunter B. Helfrich urged that decisions along this line be made from time to time by the council. It was agreed, however, to pay hourly workers for eight hours for December 24 and 25, both of which will be observed as holidays by the city.

Salaried employes already get an undetermined amount of sick leave.

Mayor Thomas S. Post proposed that hourly workers be paid for four holidays a year.

Mayor Post also suggested that the city take steps to establish a veterans' housing center. The mayor said many veterans are unable to find places to live and that the problem is very serious for those with families.

The mayor suggested that the city establish a headquarters in the City Hall and employ a clerk, if necessary. He said persons with vacant rooms and apartments could register them.

Long Waiting List

Commissioner William E. McDonald, who is in the real estate business, said no homes or apartments are available and that he has a long waiting list with no prospects.

The mayor said he does not believe new housing will be available in less than a year and Commissioner Helfrich, a contractor, agreed with this statement.

Helfrich said it would not solve the immediate problem but suggested that returning veterans be given city-owned lots on the condition that they build a home as soon as possible. Helfrich said such a program would help the veterans and get lots back on the tax books.

No Settlement

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pany's proposal included a wage increase which combined with prior increases, constitutes an increase of 41½% in the drivers' base rate since January, 1941. There is no problem of reduced take home pay, shortening the working hours, or other changes in employee benefits.

"On December 11, 1945, a third meeting was held and the company was not informed that negotiations would be discontinued.

"The agreement now in effect makes full provision for the arbitration of any differences between the company and the union regarding the terms of the agreement.

"The company has complied with all the provisions of the existing contract.

"Call it what you will, the present work stoppage is a 'strike' and is in violation of the existing agreement.

Holding their "continuous meeting" in the Allegany Trades Council hall, Frederick street, Morrison said last night "We've been here since 4 o'clock this morning and will stay all night."

Want Overtime on Holidays

Besides the wage increase, Morrison said the union and company also are at odds over the reduction of the guaranteed hours for extra drivers during the fifteen-day period from ninety-five to eighty-five hours. The reduction of hours was refused, he said, adding that the union also is asking time and a half pay for work on holidays.

Morrison also pointed out that drivers of the Cumberland and Westernport Transit Company are paid an average of $1.08 per hour and that the Potomac Edison drivers seek equality of the pay scale. While the C. and W. firm is not part of the PE system, drivers for both are members of the same union local, he said.

The work stoppage came so suddenly that many Cumberlanders stood on corners waiting for buses for varying lengths of time before they learned of the situation.

It came, too, in the coldest weather of the year and as the Christmas shopping rush is reaching its peak.

Taxi Firms Swamped

Cumberlanders who ordinarily ride buses either walked or resorted to taxis, and the Astor Cab Company, largest taxi firm in the city, reported last night it was virtually "swamped" by the increase in calls.

On an average, a cab company official said, the firm handles about 500 calls in twenty-four hours. Yesterday, in twelve hours, about 1,000 calls were handled. Other cab firms in the city reported also that they were swamped with calls and were unable to answer all they received.

Officials at plants of the Celanese Corporation of America and the Kelly - Springfield Tire Company said they were quite pleased with the turnout of workers. They said operations were not seriously handicapped and that most employes were able to get to their jobs.

The Potomac Edison Company operates thirty-five buses in the Cumberland area. While it is not under contract to haul school children, under normal conditions it runs some special buses on its own accord to take students to Allegany and Fort Hill high schools.

Mayor Makes Statement

Commenting on the transportation tieup, Mayor Thomas S. Post said yesterday that service should be restored as soon as possible.

"The Potomac Edison Company and the union should get together as soon as possible to start the buses running again," Mayor Post said. "Lack of transportation is inconvenient at this time of the year because of cold weather, which makes walking unpleasant."

—Canada is the third largest coal producer in the world, and the largest in the western hemisphere.

Marine Vet of Three Years' Duty, 18, Goes Back for Education

HAGERSTOWN, Dec. 12 (AP)—David Cianelli, 18, ex-marine corporal with three years service and a chest full of ribbons and citations, is back in the classrooms of the Hagerstown high school to complete the education interrupted when he "fibbed" about his age to get in the marine corps.

"Now I realize how important an education is in this world, and I am going to try and complete the remainder of my three years of schooling in a year and a half," said the husky, veteran of battles of the Marshalls, Marianas and Gilbert islands.

Stating that he plans to enter college after completion of his school, Cianelli said, "When I entered the marines I was just another kid. By being in the service I think I'll get more out of school than I would have before."

Marylanders Win Three Bronze and Five Silver Stars

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12 (AP)—The Third service command announced today the award of five Silver Star Medals and three Bronze Star Medals to Marylanders. Seven of the awards were posthumous.

The medals were presented by Col. Howard Donnelly, acting deputy chief of staff of the service command, in Baltimore ceremonies.

Staff Sgt. Thomas H. Hayward, of Secretary, killed in action, was the only soldier in the group to win both medals. Mr. and Mrs. William T. Hayward, also of Secretary, his aunt and uncle, received the medals.

The citation for the Silver Star praised Sgt. Hayward's "initiative and fighting spirit in the face of heavy fire" near Vire, France, August 4, 1944, while the Bronze Star citation was for "exceptionally meritorious service from June 12, 1944 to July 16, 1944."

Mr. and Mrs. Adlaide E. Bradley, Baltimore, received the Silver Star posthumously awarded Second Lt. William A. Burns for "gallantry in action near Trebur, Germany," March 24, 1945.

Mrs. Cecilia L. Jamison, the widow of Staff Sgt. Irvin Jamison, also of Baltimore, accepted the Silver Star for "gallantry in action" at Antipolo in the Philippines last March.

Pfc. Edward G. Martin of (route 2) Hagerstown, posthumously received the Bronze Star for "meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy" during the occupation of Okinawa. The medal was presented to his father, P. L. Martin.

Ex-Sgt. Charles S. Thompson, Baltimore, recently discharged from the army, won the Bronze Star for "valorous conduct in action" in the Italian theater.

Silver stars for "gallantry in action" were also awarded posthumously to Staff Sgt. Roland A. Lusby, Elkton, and Sgt. John L. Busch, Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Lusby and John W. Busch received their sons' medals from Col. Donnelly.

TWO RUSSIAN WAR BRIDES ARRIVE IN THIS COUNTRY

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12 (AP) — Two Russian war brides — believed to be the first brides of Yanks permitted to leave Russia — were looking forward today to their first American Christmas.

Tamara Tupikova Jacques, bride of Chief Warrant Officer Ernest A. Jacques, Philadelphia, and Ekaterina Nestorchuck Golubowsky, wife of Technical Sgt. George Golubowsky, near Claysville, Pa., arrived at the port of Baltimore after a forty-four-day ocean voyage which had been preceded by a six-month wait to obtain visas to leave Russia.

The men said their wives, whom they both met on blind dates, were among the first five war brides in Moscow to get visas.

They added that there were girls in Russia who have been married to Americans for more than two years and still were waiting to get over.

"They could get passage, but it's the visas from Russia that are the problem," Sgt. Golubowsky added.

A former instructor at Fort Monmouth, N. J., Sgt. Golubowsky will report after Christmas to Camp Crowder, Mo., where he hopes he will be discharged soon to return to his farm near Claysville. He and his Russian bride plan to spend Christmas in Claysville.

Jacques, who was assigned to a job in the Pentagon in Washington after he left Moscow last August, said he was taking his bride directly to Washington and already had an apartment waiting there.

The Russian women arrived in Baltimore dressed in American attire which had been sent to them by their husbands.

FIVE MARYLAND MEN GET HIGH SALARIES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12—(AP)—Names of five Marylanders were included today in the Treasury department's supplemental list of individuals receiving from corporations compensation for services in excess of $75,000.

The new report covered the calendar year of 1943 and the fiscal years ending in 1944, as well as a supplemental report for the calendar year 1942 and fiscal years ended in 1943.

The Maryland list, showing the end of the period for which the individual was paid, included:

A. E. Duncan, Commercial Credit Company, December 31, 1943, $85,000 salary; Charles E. McManus, Crown Cork and Seal Company, Inc., December 31, 1943, $108,333.33 salary; Charles B. Duncan, Sr., the Hecht Company, January 31, 1944, $50,000 salary, $123,708.34 bonus, total compensation, $173,708.34; Moses H. Goodman, The Hecht Company, January 31, 1944, $45,000 salary, $39,680.54 bonus, total compensation $84,680.54; Malcolm Hecht, The Hecht Company, January 31, 1944 [illegible],000 salary, $31,479.97 bonus, total compensation $76,479.97.

Kisner Re-elected Tucker County AAA Committee Leader

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, W. Va., Dec. 12 — George W. Kisner was re-elected chairman of the county AAA committee of three members which will administer affairs of the AAA program in Tucker county.

Other members elected to the county committee Tuesday were Lindsey Reed, vice-chairman, and H. Clay Long, member.

Chairman Kisner announced results of community committeemen's election as follows.

Parsons, No. 1 community, Luther Sturms, chairman; Elmer Rosier, vice chairman, and Clark Canfield, member.

Parsons, No. 2 community, Hugh Dumire, chairman; Archie G. Fridley, vice chairman, and John W. Hershberger, member.

Flanagan Hill community, Ben F. Thompson, chairman, R. E. Aberle, vice chairman, and Jacob Raines, member.

St. George community, Harvey Wiles, chairman, Selby Adams, vice chairman, and Gilbert Wiles, member.

Pifer church community, A. Ebgle Moore, chairman; Walter E. Miller, vice chairman, and Harry Poling, member.

1946 Goal Announced

County Agent A. L. Kidd, Parsons, announced that the Tucker county farm bureau now has seventy-four of the 206 membership goal for 1946.

The new members joining within the past week have been Frances Newlon, H. B. Haller, Parker K. Poling, Luther Sturms, Walter Plum and the Parsons Advocate, Parsons.

Ted Teter and Smith Brothers, Red Creek; Porter Varner, Montrose; S. Mac Adams and Ray Adams, St. George; Gerald Bible, John L. White, F. C. Stemple and H. G. Fridley, Hendricks, and Frank Harr and John Hershberger, Davis.

Plan Youth Party

Mrs. Harold Shiflet, gener chairman for a Christmas party for the young people, aged 12 to 20, announced that the party and a program will be given in the high school auditorium Friday evening, December 21.

The youth conservation committee is composed of members of the Woman's club, Parsons, who are sponsors for the movement.

The club will endeavor to obtain two representatives from each of the civic clubs and other organizations of the town to make the committee permanent to provide entertainment for the youth of this town for the coming year.

The various committees will be: entertainment—Mrs. H. J. Pinney, Mrs. B. F. Harris, Mrs. Winona Dumire, Mrs. M. J. Small, Mrs. A. A. Dorsey, Mrs. James H. Lotspeich, Mrs. George Donalds and a group of high school students including Emily Ann Dudley, Joanna Felton, Helen Felto, Philip Wolf, Richard Higgs, James Auvil and Don Auvil.

The decoration and arrangement committee will be Mrs. Warren Rightmire, Miss Opal Lutz, Mrs. Jack Cross, Mrs. Paul Hinkle and Mrs. Junior Wolf; publicity—Mrs. R. K. McClain, and Mrs. Winona Dumire; prize—Mrs. C. D. Smith, Mrs. B. F. Long, Sr., and Mrs. Anna Few; refreshment and favors—Mrs. William Hamby, Mrs. J. P. Baker, Miss Esther Sill and Mrs. Frank Little.

Clean-up—Miss Marie Hahn, Mrs. F. K. Lyons, Mrs. Myrtle Blackman, Mrs. J. Harold Felton, Mrs. Minnie Ford and Mrs. Ethel Dixon.

The youth conservation committee is composed of Mrs. William Hamby, Mrs. C. D. Smith, Mrs. R. K. McClain, Mrs. George Donalds and Mrs. H. D. Shiflet.

The party will be a Christmas party and a box social. Only those with tags to be purchased in advance will be admitted.

Natal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. John Gainer, Kerens, announce the birth of a son, weighing nine pounds and fifteen ounces, in the Tucker county hospital December 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cassidy, Kempton, announce the birth of a son, Richard David, in the Tucker county hospital December 7. This is their second child and weighed eight pounds.

Sgt. and Mrs. Leon Browning, Thomas, announce the birth of a son, weighing seven pounds and seven ounces, in the Tucker county hospital December 9. This is their third child and first son. The mother is the former Virginia Hendricks, Thomas, and the father is now stationed with the army at Lincoln, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Bonner, Thomas, announce the birth of a son, their third child and first son, in the Tucker county hospital December 9. The mother is the former Nellie Wymer. The father a recent discharged veteran, is now employed by the Davis Coal and Coke Company.

Arnold Promoted

Mrs. Elsa Saygers Arnold, Davis, received word that her husband, Garland Arnold, has been promoted to the rank of first lieutenant with the army air force now stationed in China.

He is with the Three Hundred and Fifteenth troop carrier squadron.

Two Injured

Myra Golightly, 9, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Golightly, Davis, was treated by a local physician for severe cuts and bruises of the face as a result of an accident while riding on her sled Tuesday evening.

Mary Lou Combs, 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Combs, Davis, was also treated by a local physician for injuries of the face she received when the sled she and Bonnie Lou Bohnke were riding collided into a parked car. The Bohnke child was not injured.

Special Service Planned

The Rev. James H. Lotspeich, pastor of the First Methodist church, Parsons, announces that special candlelight service will be held in his church Sunday evening, December 16, in remembrance of the men who died in the war. They will also honor returning servicemen. The choir of the church will sing special musical selections in connection with the program.

—The first issue of United States stamps was made in 1847.

—The national debt in 1848 was almost $16,000,000.

George W. Reid Rites Are Planned

Funeral services for George William Reid, 77, who died suddenly yesterday morning about 4 o'clock at his home, 324 Emily street, will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Stein funeral home.

The Rev. David C. Watson, rector of Emmanuel Episcopal church, will officiate and interment will be in Rose Hill cemetery.

Mr. Reid, employed in the engineering department at the Celanese plant, worked Tuesday and arose earlier than usual yesterday after reporting he did not feel well.

He was a native of this city, a son of the late Robert and Bridget Martz Reid. He was a brother of the late J. Alfred Reid, former city commissioner.

Mr. Reid was an engineer at the Cumberland Steel Company before becoming a Celanese employe eighteen years ago.

He was a member of Emmanuel Episcopal church, Tonkoway Tribe No. 120, Improved Order of Red Men; Local 1874, Textile Workers Union of America, and the Republican Club.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Ella R. Farrell Reid, he is survived by the following children, Mrs. Mayme E. Leo, Mrs. Ruth Atwell, Robert E. Reid and Mrs. John E. Reid, all of this city; Mrs. Madeline Beard, Washington, D. C., and Eugene F. Reid, with the navy.

AMOS HYMES RITES

Funeral services for Amos S. Hymes, 41, former Celanese worker and veteran of World War II, who died yesterday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lemuel Hedrick, 519 Pine avenue, after a lingering illness, will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in Mt. Hope Christian church.

The Rev. J. L. Stewart, pastor of Assembly of God church, will officiate and interment will be in the church cemetery.

A native of Bedford county, Pa., he was a son of the late George P. and Nancy S. Hymes.

Mr. Hymes was a member of Cumberland Aerie No. 245, Fraternal Order of Eagles.

Also surviving are four other sisters, Mrs. James Snyder, Mt. Savage; Mrs. Arley Nelson, Baltimore pike; Mrs. Forrest Carrick, this city, and Mrs. Arthur Green, Ridgeley, and one brother, William Hymes, this city.

The body is at the Hafer funeral home.

MISS JOHNSON RITES

Funeral services for Miss Anna Johnson, 63, negress, who died Tuesday afternoon in Memorial hospital, will be conducted Friday morning at 11 o'clock at the home of her sister, Mrs. Eleanor Rhodes, 146 Wineow street, with whom she made her home.

Interment will be in Woodlawn cemetery here.

MATTINGLY RITES

Funeral services for William T. Mattingly, 68, Pittsburgh, Pa., a native of this city who died Friday in Chicago, were conducted yesterday morning in St. Patrick's Catholic church.

The Rev. Francis J. McKeown, assistant pastor, was the celebrant of the requiem mass and interment was in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers, members of Henry Hart Post No. 1411, Veterans of Foreign Wars, were John Mattingly, John Winters, Eugene Bergman, Vernon Winters, Paul Wenrich and Charles Burkey. Harry Barley sounded taps.

G. B. HOYLE RITES

Funeral services for G. Blaine Hoyle, 59, Baltimore and Ohio yard brakeman, who died Sunday at his home, 430 Homer street, were conducted yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home.

The Rev. Hixon T. Bowersox, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, officiated and interment was in Greenmount cemetery.

Pallbearers, members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, were Glen Henry, C. R. Cramer, R. A. Snider, R. C. Gilpin, E. W. Law and George E. P. Law.

MRS. CHESTER DAY

Mrs. Ethel May Day, 45, wife of Chester Day, 523 Brice street, Baltimore, died Monday morning in Baltimore General hospital.

She was a native of Mt. Savage, a daughter of the late Grant and Ida May Piper Brant.

Also surviving are three brothers, Harry A. Brant, this city, and Robert C. and Floyd L. Brant, both of Mt. Savage, and one sister, Mrs. Jesse Kirby, Bobtown, Pa.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Stein funeral home. Interment will be in the Methodist cemetery, Mt. Savage.

Five Join Army Here

Five men from this area enlisted in the army at the local recruiting station, according to Lt. H. C. McKinley, officer in charge of the local office.

Three of the recruits are enlisting for three years and the others will enter service unassigned. Those assigned are Robert Lee Whorton, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Whorton, of Flintstone, enlisting in the Air Corps; William Kenneth Grady, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Grady, of Piedmont, W. Va., entering the infantry, and Eugene Francis Keyes, 17, son of Mrs. William Keyes, of Piedmont, enlisting in the infantry.

The two unassigned men, both of Westernport, are Ronald Mayhew, 17, son of Mrs. Edith Mayhew, and David M. Kifer, 20, ward of Mrs. Mayhew. Both are entering the Army for two years.

Ernest Robinette

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an additional training course of four to five weeks before being assigned to Camp Stoneman.

Robinette's wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Robinette, now is en route to Camp Stoneman to join her husband.

He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Robinette, Bowling Green.

Among his brothers are Raymond, now working for a construction company in Arabia on a 2,600 mile oil pipeline; James, who was discharged recently after serving for three years in the European theater of operations, and Robert, who resides on Chases treet.

Orders Building

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supplies not covered by the regulation will be available for homes or multiple dwellings costing more than $10,000 a unit, and for commercial and industrial buildings and all other construction.

As during the war, the priorities program will be operated under the Second War Power act.

A spokesman for the National Housing Agency said it expects to be reassigned to the job of issuing priorities through the agency's field offices.

As for surplus building materials held by the government, Snyder said their release "will be expedited by special teams which will locate surpluses and sell them on the spot."

To Cope with Emergency

Arrangements are being made, he added, to see that at least seventy per cent of these materials goes into housing, with preference for veterans.

Snyder's statement emphasized that all steps being taken "are designed to cope with the current emergency."

"Solution of the long-range problem of providing the people with an adequate supply of moderately priced housing is being studied by the congress," the reconversion chief said, "and I am looking forward to constructive action through legislation."

Nothing less than peak production for several years will really solve the housing problem, Snyder asserted.

He estimated that more than 1,000,000 families are living "doubled-up" with other families because of the housing shortage.

"Many more will have to double up next year," Snyder predicted, adding that "hundreds of thousands of these will be veterans."

"We will do well," Snyder said, "if more than 500,000 housing units are built in 1946."

Governmental officials and construction industry representatives have estimated there will be a need for 3,000,000 new homes by the end of next year, and that ten to fifteen million will be required over the next ten years.

In his letter appointing Wyatt, Mr. Truman called on him "to make the machinery of housing production run as smoothly and speedily as possible, so that we may be able to make the peace production of homes equal to the task of housing our veterans and other civilians."

Gen. Marshall

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If the Philippines were reinforced with heavy bombers and other equipment in strength by that time, Marshall said he believed it might be enough of a deterrent to prevent open warfare.

"They would have continued to grab what they could get free, by infiltration," the general said. But that might not have carried them "over the line" which the United States-British-Dutch alliance considered an act of war.

Marshall conceded that he thought that the Hawaiian defenses at that time "would deter them from an attack there."

The witness said that at the time he considered the presence of the fleet at Pearl Harbor — where it was smashed Dec. 7—a "deterrent" to Japanese aggressive moves.

Rep. Keefe (R-Wis) developed that the fleet was taken out of Pearl Harbor and put on a mobile basis during an "alert" in June, 1940. He tried to learn why this wasn't done again during the tense days preceding the opening Japanese attack but Marshall, as an army man, was unable to supply the answer.

Marshall was asked by Keefe to express his opinion, as chief of staff, of the conditions as of Nov. 28, 1941, when Marshall said he signed the warning message sent to Lt. Gen. Walter C. Short in Hawaii.

"I was personally of the opinion that Japanese hostile action might break out at any time in the Pacific," Marshall replied.

"That would mean war?" Keefe asked.

"That would mean war," the witness replied.

Was it Marshall's intent, Keefe asked, to put Hawaii on a full alert with the warning message.

"That was my intention," Marshall replied.

Keefe had not completed his cross-examination when the committee adjourned for the day and Gen. Marshall was instructed to return tomorrow.

Ford Reiterates

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UAW) a wage increase and in those months past we thought by now we would be able to come here with a more pliable attitude on the wage question but circumstances over which we have no control have changed that picture. We don't feel that it is reasonable for you to press your demands now just because such a move subscribed to over-all union policy," he concluded.

Bugas, in the letter sent to the UAW earlier today, said the company was "paying the highest wages in the automotive industry."

Leonard termed the letter "a provocative act on the company's part" and said he objected to the release of the letter now "because the temper of the workers is not too good now." He expressed fear "the headlines would antagonize the workers."

Bugas's letter repeated arguments advanced by Mel B. Lindquist, superintendent of Ford labor relations, in a letter to the union on Nov. 14 when the company stated its general position on the issue of wage increases.

Bugas wrote to the union today that it "must consider our joint ability to increase employe productivity" and "our ability to get into full production."

Marines To Stay

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will be announced by the president then.

From diplomatic informants it was learned that the earliest possible time at which the marines could be withdrawn is four or five months away and they may actually be in China long after that.

Brakeman Killed by Car

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12 (AP) — A tragic ending came to Christmas shopping plans of Joseph B. Clark, 24, railroad brakeman who was hit by a gondola car and instantly killed yesterday.

In his pocket was found a list of Christmas presents he intended to buy for his widow, Madeline, and their two children.

James Baker, 66, Piedmont Man, Is Burned to Death

By GEORGE W. DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT, Dec. 12 — Vernon E. Rankin, state's attorney of Mineral county, West Virginia, said tonight that he will issue a verdict of accidental death in the death of James Henry Baker, 66, Ashfield street, Piedmont, W. Va., who was found lying burned to death on top of a stove at his home about 6 p. m. today.

The body was found by Edward Leighty, a neighbor, who had been coming in to look after Mr. Baker for the past few days, and by Chief of Police Charles E. Dornon. Mr. Baker, who lived alone, had been suffering from a cold for two days, Leighty said.

Leighty tried the door to Mr. Baker's one-room house and found it locked. He summoned Chief Dornon, who helped him break down the door.

When the body was discovered, Rankin said, it was lying on top of a two-burner coal oil stove. Both burners were turned on, and the man's clothing had been burned off completely. The state's attorney said it is presumed Mr. Baker suffered a heart attack and fell unconscious on top of the stove.

The body was removed to the Fredlock funeral home, Piedmont. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Rankin said no inquest is planned, although he will visit the scene of the tragedy tomorrow for a final investigation.

Mr. Baker, a former resident of Cross, W. Va., had been employed in odd jobs in Piedmont, although he had not worked for several weeks before his death.

Woman Hurt in Crash Is Slightly Improved

Mrs. Maude F. Hendrickson, wife of Joseph W. Hendrickson, 5 Ridgeway terrace, is slightly improved in a Uniontown, Pa., hospital where she was admitted November 20 suffering from three fractured vertebrae and fractures of the collarbone when the car her husband was driving toward Wheeling, W. Va., crashed at Fort Necessity, ten miles east of Uniontown.

Hendrickson reported it will be about a week before a cast can be applied and another week before Mrs. Hendrickson will be discharged from the hospital. She is the owner of the Peerless Beauty Shop.

Hendrickson was badly shaken when the car skidded on the ice as he was shifting into second gear and slipped over a twenty foot bank.

Sport Slants

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that amateur scrappers be compelled to have their long hair cut before they step through the ropes.

Several local boys are guilty of this practice and one of these days they're going to run smack into a haymaker while they are busily engaged in brushing back their locks.

During one of the bouts at SS. Peter and Paul gym Tuesday night one of the long haired amateurs stepped through the ropes and spent a greater part of the match brushing the wool out of his eyes.

Then the crowd went into convulsions of laughter when one of the galleryites wisecracked:

"Is there a barber in the house?"

Keep your eyes on that Piedmont high school basketball team this season is information given to us by "Eck" Miers, of Keyser, well known cage official.

Miers saw Coach Jeff Baker's ballhawks in action and says they look mighty good to him. He is especially high in his praise of Lou Tuicci, clever guard and crack shot.

Piedmont is due in Cumberland next Monday. The Mineral countians will play at Fort Hill.

MAY FORM LEAGUE

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12—(AP)—The Rev. William V. Herlihy, faculty moderator of athletics at Loyola college in Baltimore, announced today that the Baltimore college was in favor of forming an Eastern Catholic College League to provide competition in all sports on an organized basis.

Pay Scales for Nurses Is Subject for Survey Of Nurse Association

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12 (AP) — Pay scales for Maryland's private nurses were the subject of a study under way today by a committee of the Maryland Nurses Association.

Irene Duffy of the Instructive Visiting Nurses Association and chairman of the committee on personal practice, the group which is making the survey, said its purpose was stabilization of pay and working conditions.

Asserting that the shortage of nurses had not been eased since the end of the war, Blanche Powell, executive secretary of the State Nurses Association, added that the figure of 3,600 nurses registered with the organization was higher than the number actually available. Included in the figure, she said, were 2,200 from Baltimore City alone.

Miss Powell declared that many of the nurses who joined the army and navy have not resumed civilian practice since their release from the armed forces. Some were resting, and others, married, were giving up practice altogether as their husbands were discharged from the services, she said.

CIO Says Union

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pointment of our board is not intended to interfere in any way with the parties' collective bargaining which is now in process, and that it is greatly to be hoped that the parties will settle their differences by agreement."

Negotiations between General Motors and the union will resume tomorrow. The corporation has indicated a desire to reach an agreement over picketing practices at struck plants before going ahead to a solution on the wage issue.

The ation of President Truman marked his second intervention in the strike. Previously he had requested the strikers to return to work, but the union's General Motors council recommended against this, a stand so far supported in votes by UAW locals.

State Police Locate Wrecked Automobile

State police reported last evening that the car Walter Miller, 26, Berkeley Springs, W. Va., was driving Tuesday was located at Belle Grove on Route 40 yesterday morning.

Miller is a patient in Memorial hospital where he was admitted Tuesday at 7:15 p. m. suffering from a fractured left collarbone and a facial laceration. He told Troopers Glen D. Folk and Harry Holsinger that the car he was driving crashed on Route 40 six miles east of here.

Trooper Folk said the car, a 1938 Ford coupe bearing West Virginia tags, was badly damaged when it skidded on the ice and crashed against a telephone pole.

The state trooper added the case is still under investigation but that James Bishop, who gave his address as Hancock, and was a passenger in the car, has been released.

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Steels, Motors and Aircrafts Lose Around Three Points in Trading

By HUDSON PHILLIPS

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—(AP)—Steels, Motors and Aircrafts lost fractions to around three points in today's stock market.

Most of the other divisions were lowered a lesser amount in one of the biggest selloffs in almost a month. A good part of the slump was interpreted as a technical correction of the list's recent lengthy advance to fifteen-year peaks.

Also contributing were the stalemated automotive labor-management negotiations and the call for an industry-wide steel strike on January 14.

Volume totaled 1,680,000 shares against 1,690,00 yesterday.

Lower were United States Steel, Bethlehem, Youngstown Sheet, General Motors, Chrysler, Packard, Goodrich, Montgomery Ward, International Harvester, Douglas Aircraft, Glenn Martin, North American, Anaconda, Phelps Dodge, Westinghouse, du Pont, Union Carbide, Allied Chemical, Santa Fe, Great Northern and Standard Oil (NJ.)

The Curb followed the pattern of the big board with declines posted by Aireon Berkey and Gay, Niagara-Hudson Power, Raytheon, Textron, Burma Ltd., and Pan American Airway warrants. Transactions aggregated 880,000 shares against 900,000 yesterday.

The bond market was mixed today with some railroad issues advancing more than a point.

Sales for the day were $7,605,000 compared with $8,920,000 Tuesday.

United States governments were quiet.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Dec. 12 (AP)—Stock list, today's close:

Air Redn	51⅞	LOF Gl	63¾
Alg Corp	5¾	Lig My B	95
Al C D	191	Lorll	30½
Am Can	14	Martin Gl	39¼
Am C Fd	66¾	M Ward	73¾
Am R Mill	29⅛	Nat Bis	33⅜
Am Smel	67⅛	Nat Cr	39⅜
ATT	193⅜	Nat Dy	34⅛
Am Tob B	90	Nat Dis	65⅛
Am W Wks	21¾	NY Cen	31⅝
Anaconda	45	Norf Wsn	250
Arn Corp	9¾	Nor Am Avn	14½
B and O	25¼	Owens Ill Gl	77¼
Bendix	54¾	Pack Mtrs	11
Beth Stl	94¾	Pa RR	43¾
Boe Airp	32⅜	Pepsi Cola	36½
Budd Mfg	19¾	Plym Oil	26¼
Celan	64¼	Pullman	62¼
C and O	55⅞	Pur Oil	23¾
Chrys	135⅛	Rad Crp	18¼
Col G E	22¾	Rem Rand	34½
Com Cr	48¼	Rep Stl	31
Comw Sou	3⅛	R Tob B	37⅜
Con Ed	33	Srs Roe	36¾
Curt Wr	8⅜	Soc Vac	17⅞
Doug Air	96	Sou Pac	59½
duPont	189¾	Sper Crp	38
Eastman	229	Sta Br	49½
Elau Lite	69½	SO Cal	49
El P Lt	18⅛	SO Ind	43¾
Firest	69⅜	SO NJ	65¾
Gen El	49	Swift Co	38
Gen Fds	49½	Texas Co	60¾
Gen Mtrs	75¾	Tex G Sul	49¾
Goodrich	35½	Tidew Oil	23⅜
Goodyr	60	Un Carbide	98¾
Gt N Pfd	39⅜	Un Airc	36
Greyhnd	34	United Carbon	81
Ill Cen	40⅞	US Rubber	68
Int Hv	98¾	US St	82¼
Int N Can	38⅛	Wes Md	11⅜
Johns Man	144	West Elec	36⅞
Kenn Cop	50	Yng S T	67¾
Kroger	44⅜		

Position of Treasury

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12—(AP)—The position of the Treasury December 10:

Receipts $99,712,874.56; expenditures $147,545,472.48; balance $25,-154,036,825.52; customs receipts for month $10,451,428.75; receipts fiscal year July 1 $16,296,553,578.09; expenditures fiscal year $34,366,915,-408.53; excess of expenditures $18,-070,361,830.44; total debt $277,377,-534,629.65; increase over previous day $2,750,218,581.25; gold assets $20,045,267,797.93.

Chicago Grain Prices

CHICAGO, Dec. 12 (AP)—Sensitive rye prices fluctuated broadly today under the pressure of light to moderate liquidation and scattered support but lost up to three cents on the December deliveries.

Closing futures:

WHEAT—December 1.80½, May 1.80½, July 1.77¾, September 1.74⅜.

CORN—December 1.18½, May 1.18½, July 1.18½, September 1.18½.

OATS—December 76¾-⅞, May 75⅜-½, July 72½-¾, September 69⅜-¾.

RYE—December 1.77, May 1.64¼, July 1.44⅛, September 1.40¼.

BARLEY—December 1.22½, May 1.20⅜, July 1.15½.

Cash grains:

WHEAT—No. 2 red, 1.79, ceiling; No. 2 hard, 1.79, ceiling.

No corn sales.

OATS—No. 1 mixed extra heavy, 84 plus one cent markup; No. 1 mixed extra heavy, 83½; No. 2 white heavy, 81 plus one cent markup.

BARLEY—Nominal; malting, 1.21-1.39½; feed, 1.15-1.23¼.

FIELD SEED—Per hundredweight, nominal: timothy, 5.25-5.50; red top, 11.00-11.50; red clover, 31.50; sweet clover, 10.75; alsike, 28.50; alfalfa, common, 33.50-36.50.

Baltimore Cattle

BALTIMORE, Dec. 11 (AP)—(USDA)

Cattle — 3000 — Representative classes fairly active, steady with Tuesday; bulk steer receipts intended for Thursday's market; common and medium cows 9.00-12.00; canners and cutters 6.50-8.50; good weighty sausage bulls scarce, eligible to 12.50; bulk light and medium weight 9.00-12.00.

Calves — 100 — vealers active, steady with Tuesday; weighty slaughter calves slow, about steady; mixed lot good and choice 120-220 lb vealers 15.50 to mainly 16.50; common and medium 9.50-14.50; mostly 11.00 up; culls around 7.50, extreme light weights down to 5.00; good weighty slaughter calves 14.00; common and medium 10.00-13.00.

Hogs — 200 — active, barrows and gilts from 300-450 lbs 15 cents higher than Tuesday; all other weights steady; sows 15 cents higher; good and choice 140-300 lbs barrows and gilts 15.40 the ceiling; 300-375 lbs 15.15; 375-450 lbs 14.90; good sows 14.40.

Sheep — 50 — slaughter lambs scarce, active, steady with Tuesday; practical top 16.00; mixed lot good and choice wooled lambs usually from 80 lbs up and including buck 15.50 to mainly 16.00; common and medium 11.50-14.50; culls around 8.50; slaughter ewes active, steady; choice light weight wooled and shorn ewes 6.50; bulk common to good 3.00-6.00 according to grade.

Pittsburgh Produce

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 12—(AP)—(United States Department of Agriculture)—Produce demand moderate.

Apples 14 cars, steady. Combination bushel baskets Pennsylvania Golden Delicious and Grimes Golden 4.50-75; Virginia York Imperials 4.90; bushel cartons Ohio Rome Beauties and Baldwin 4.90.

Potatoes 23 cars, steady. United States No. 1 100 lb. sacks Maine Katahdins 2.75-3.00; Nebraska Bliss Triumphs 3.25; Idaho Russet Burbanks 3.25-75; 50 lb. sacks Maine Katahdins 1.35-40; 15 lb. sacks Maine Katahdins 43-46.

Eggs unchanged.

New York Produce

NEW YORK, Dec. 1—(AP)—Eggs 26,360; firm; current general wholesale prices follow:

Whites: extras, No. 1 to No. 4, 45 lbs. and over, nearby 50.1-52.8; medium, 40-44 lbs. nearby 47.8.

Butter 289,824; firm. Prices unchanged. Cheese 289,131; nominal; no quotations.

Record Deer Kill Of 201 Reported In Grant County

By MYRTLE PARK

Petersburg, W. Va., Dec. 12—Game Warden Harrison Shobe reports 201 deer killed in Grant county last week which is the largest number of deer ever killed in Grant county. In 1944 there were 173 killed, despite bad weather and not many hunters out.

Name	Address	Wt.	Pts.
Tracy Smith, Arthur, W. Va.		150	8
G. R. Ours, Petersburg, W. Va.		190	5
Walter Parrish, Burlington, W. Va.		160	8
Edgar Nelson, Petersburg, W. Va.		160	7
Lloyd F. Smith, Burlington, W. Va.		163	8
Allan L. LaRue, Piedmont, W. Va.		150	4
H. V. Sites, Petersburg, W. Va.		150	5
L. L. Cokeley, Harrisville, W. Va.		100	4
Ira Whetzel, Dorcas, W. Va.		112	10
Harry Nelson, Petersburg, W. Va.		175	8
Arthur Goldizen, Jordan Run, W. Va.		150	6
James Sites, Petersburg, W. Va.		135	8
Clyde Kuhn, Mt. Storm, W. Va.		150	11
Max C. Sites, Petersburg, W. Va.		210	5
Roy Edwards, Thornton, W. Va.		121	8
Jim Gaither, Bayard, W. Va.		160	12
Elston G. Harman, Petersburg, W. Va.		200	11
Glenn A. McMannis, Bayard, W. Va.		145	9
John B. Maxors, Mt. Morris, Pa.		110	4
H. T. Spencer, Bayard, W. Va.		102	8
L. W. Philips, Parkersburg, W. Va.		125	12
Robert Elliott, Kitzmiller, Md.		125	3
Harry Sayers, Elk Garden, W. Va.		125	8
C. B. Sions, Cabins, W. Va.		200	6
Hobert Spiker, Kitzmiller, Md.		165	8
George Arnold, Bayard, W. Va.		120	8
William Agnew, Keyser, W. Va.		160	8
Earl Ours, Cabins, W. Va.		120	8
Richard Arnold, Bayard, W. Va.		135	7
Frank Cline, Bayard, W. Va.		140	5
H. O. Sions, Burlington, W. Va.		160	8
W. H. Pratther, Harrisville, W. Va.		125	6
C. D. Sions, Petersburg, W. Va.		140	8
Kenneth Buckman, Rockport, W. Va.		95	4
Robert Brown, Maysville, W. Va.		140	7
Quinton Champ, Medley, W. Va.		180	10
D. Scott Thompson, Clarksburg, W. Va.		150	6
Jesse Kitzmiller, Mt. Storm, W. Va.		213	12
William Berger, Lahmansville, W. Va.		167	8
R. S. Head, Gormania, W. Va.		172	8
Oreta Jones, Mt. Storm, W. Va.		133	6
Earl R. Williams, Parkersburg, W. Va.		125	8
Robert F. Guthrie, Bayard, W. Va.		173	6
J. C. Smith, Parkersburg, W. Va.		129	6
Fred J. Frazier, Bayard, W. Va.		115	6
Jessie J. White, Riverton, W. Va.		125	3
Carl E. Williams, Bayard, W. Va.		175	12
Floyd E. Williams, Riverton, W. Va.		140	6
Walter Gay, Bayard, W. Va.		124	4
John Kimble, Cassville, W. Va.		165	9
Glenn Ruddle, Riverton, W. Va.		140	5
William Yocum, Cassville, W. Va.		100	4
George Harding, Emoryville, W. Va.		110	5
D. C. Ridings, Bloomington, Md.		130	9
S. J. Secrist, Mt. Storm, W. Va.		125	4
Arnold Aronhalt, Bismark, W. Va.		151	8
Arthur Rohrbaugh, Maysville, W. Va.		135	8
Walter B. Cosner, Scherr, W. Va.		150	7
Paul Evans, Jordan Run, W. Va.		175	5
Jerome Muntzing, Martin, W. Va.		245	10
George W. Roberts, Arthur, W. Va.		125	4
Albert Muntzing, Maysville, W. Va.		150	4
Denver Dolly, Maysville, W. Va.		125	4
Jesse Idleman, Scherr, W. Va.		190	11
Cletus Dolly, Maysville, W. Va.		150	8
C. B. Burgess, Bismark, W. Va.		172	6
Noah Rohrbaugh, Maysville, W. Va.		140	5
Orville Wolfe, Scherr, W. Va.		180	8
Ted R. McDonald, Maysville, W. Va.		250	8
Robert Kessel, Scherr, W. Va.		140	4
H. Elmer Hanlin, Bismark, W. Va.		125	3
Virgil E. Secrist, Maysville, W. Va.		180	20
Glenvil Feaster, Jordan Run, W. Va.		175	5
Cpl. Oather H. Heavner, Petersburg, W. Va.		170	9
Clarence Harper, Onego, W. Va.		140	4
Virgil O. Kimble, Smoke Holes, W. Va.		175	10
Golden Landis, Onego, W. Va.		150	7
E. P. Goldizen, Jordan Run, W. Va.		190	11
Harold Kitzmiller, Elk Garden, W. Va.		200	9
I. F. Whitworth, Alexandria, Va.		149	8
Walter S. Arnold, Elk Garden, W. Va.		150	7
Encil R. Wade, Cameron, W. Va.		130	8
Ralph Woodyard, Grafton, W. Va.		105	2
Ralph Line, Bismark, W. Va.		135	8
Raymond C. Idleman, Bayard, W. Va.		130	6
Lester Stemple, Aurora, W. Va.		200	10

Pfc. Benny Beal Is Discharged

By CATHERINE O'ROURKE

MT. SAVAGE, Dec. 12 — Pfc. Benny L. Beal, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Beal, Calla Hill, received an honorable discharge from the army, December 4, at Fort George G. Meade. He enlisted March 17, 1943, and as stationed at Camp Butner, N. C., and Nashville, Tenn., before being sent overseas. He participated in combat duty in Normandy, Northern France, Ardennes, Rhineland and Central Europe. He was entitled to wear the distinguished unit badge, European - African - Middle Eastern ribbon, good conduct medal and victory ribbon. Pfc. Beal served with the Two Hundred Ninety-ninth engineer battalion.

Circle Has Banquet

The Dora Thomas Circle of the Methodist church held its annual Christmas party and banquet Monday evening in the church recreation hall. Tables were decorated with red tapers and evergreens. Mrs. Dora Burch acted as Santa Claus and distributed gifts to class sisters.

A program of Christmas carols was presented with Miss Lola Lewis at the piano.

Brief Items

A party for the benefit of the Jennings Run Council, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, will be held Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the Junior Order hall, Main street.

Personals

Edward Deffenbaugh and Harry Crowe have returned after attending the funeral of George Klotzbaugh, Pittsburgh. Mr. Klotzbaugh was the husband of the late Ella Elizabeth Klotzbaugh, a native of Mt. Savage.

Sgt. and Mrs. C. Orborne Duvall are leaving Wichita Falls, Texas, to reside at Langley Field. They will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Twigg this week.

Mrs. Thomas E. Stephens is in Baltimore, where her mother, Mrs. Margaret Carroll, is a patient at Johns Hopkins hospital.

Mrs. Charles Rizer is a patient at Memorial hospital, Cumberland.

Hardy County Deer Kill Totals 141 For 1945 Season

By MRS. R. E. FISHER

MOOREFIELD, W. Va., Dec. 12—A total of 141 deer were killed in Hardy county during the six day deer season, according to the belated report by District Game Protector John Shanholtz, Tuesday. Reports were delayed from the county's eleven checking stations due to bad roads and inclement weather.

Reporting from **Moorefield** were C. B. Hiett, 9 points, 140 pounds; Ervin Wratchford, 6 points, 90 pounds; Arno E. Friddle, 7 points, 150; Harry Welton Jr., 7 points, 165; Glenn Stump, 4 points, 75; H. T. Cook, 9 points, 155; James E. Delawder, 6 points, 160; Roy Liggett, 7 points, 160; William Sherman, 11 points, 200; Chas. J. Riggleman, 9 points, 100; E. G. Sions, 3 points, 100; John W. Shreve, 4 points, 150; Charles H. Clower, 6 points, 150; Oscar Fitzwater, 5 points, 145; June Vetter, 10 points, 175; Paul McNeill, 7 points, 190; William L. Feller, 3 points, 150; Ray Poling, 10 points, 170; R. E. Saville, 8 points, 150; Charles I. Smith, 11 points, 168; H. M. Calhoun, 4 points, 200.

MATHIAS, Alston Sherman, 9 points, 180; Lawrence Wilkins, 7 points, 140; Doman Dove, 10 points, 114; C. H. May, 7 points, 175; Kenna C. Whetzel, 8 points, 150; Armond Mongold, 5 points, 79; Garnet Wilkins, 9 points, 161; Vance Halterman, 7 points, 112; and Blaine Halterman, 9 points, 200.

WARDENSVILLE, F. P. Baker, 10 points, 165; Romanus Rudy, 8 points, 160; E. J. Heishman, 6 points, 130; James Vance, 3 points, 90; Porterfield Keckley, 4 points, 100; Howard Tharp, 8 points, 165; C. R. Miller, 10 points, 145; Willard Webster, 6 points, 165; Theodore Webster, 6 points, 170; Slater Kline, 6 points, 150; Wilbur Hahn, 9 points, 147; and Samuel Keckley, 8 points, 180.

PURGITSVILLE, S. L. Srout, 8 points, 200; J. M. Huffman, 12, 151; Arthur Sions, 8 points, 162; P. W. Greenwalt, 9 points, 192; John W. Haggerty, 3 points, 130. From Needmore were Ernest Fogle, 8 points, 125; Logan A. Miller, 9 points, 127; Ray Miller, 7 points, 125; Marvin Bott, 8 points, 150; and Walter B. Miller, 9 points, 117. From Old Fields, James Basore, 5 points, 150; E. V. McNutt, 5 points, 125; Walter Bosley, 11 points, 180. From Milam were Homer Davis, 4 points, 90; S. M. Mongold, 4 points, 125; and P. L. Mongold, 12 points, 154.

ROCK OAK—Herbert Hawse, 7 points, 110. From Fisher were J. I. Myers, 8 points, 110; David S. Hutter, 8 points, 200 and John Fisher, 10 points, 175. From Bass, William Kuykendall, 8 points, 180. From Keyser, Edward N. Falk, 4 points, 100. From Cabins, Roy L. Wilson, 4 points, 150. From Kearneysville, E. J. Jenkins, 8 points, 200 and Roger Victo, 4 points, 135. From Jones Mills, Pa., Kaplan Kalp, 4 points, 130.

PETERSBURG—Frank Turley, 8 points, 160; William Alt, 7 points, 160; R. E. Haynes, 8 points, 160; Stanley Turley, Jr., 5 points, 125; W. F. Strawderman, 5 points, 96; I. S. Alt, 4 points, 99; Guy Turley, 6 points, 140; and Edwin Rodgers, 4 points, 125. At Baker reporting were Cecil Funkhouser, 8 points, 150, and Victor Funkhouser, 11 points, 126. From Lost River, Clyde Showalter, 6 points, 120; J. B. Sager, 8 points, 120; Alston L. Wilkins, 6 points, 163; Homer Sager, 6 points, 118 and Cletis Wheizel, 10 points, 119. From Rio, Roy Smith, 9 points, 165 and William S. Miller, 7 points, 120.

INKERMAN—Berlyn Park, 3 points, 87; and Geo. Hawse, 5 points, 160. From Fabius, T. H. Hott, 2 points, 111; and Leonard L. Orndorff, 4 points, 175. From Romney were David Harmison, 4 points, 140; Henry Powell, 6 points, 140; E. J. Kesner, 7 points, 135; Lowden Thompson, 8 points, 200; and Raymond McNeill, 7 points, 155. From Martinsburg, J. A. Prather, 8 points, 142; Leonard O. Unger, 19 points, 219; Narman E. Allenbaugh, 6 points, 137; L. E. Snyder, 8 points, 145; N. T. Robinson, 4 points, 120; Harold A. Downey, 3 points, 130; E. T. Henshaw, 8 points, 150; and J. A. Karness, 9 points, 180.

PARKERSBURG—J. E. Wratchford, 7 points, 135. From Pansy Ossther Ours 6 points, 125. From Bristol, Md., J. W. Crosby, 8 points, 165. From Harrisonburg, Va., C. C. Good, 9 points, 120. From Mouth of Seneca, W. M. Allen, 10 points, 170 and Virgil Alt, 4 points, 150. From Tiffin, Ohio, Nelson H. Mathias, 8 points, 125. From Struthers, Ohio, F. M. High, 7 points, 102. From Rockville, Md., Frank Osmond, 6 points, 140. From Ruckman, J. D. Poland, 9 points, 160. From New Market, Va., Wilbur Heishman, 5 points, 125.

WINCHESTER, Va., Robert W. Combs, 5 points, 160; Earl Blanchfield, 8 points, 125; Charles Garber, 5 points, 135; Edgar J. Shirley, 4 points, 100; James Pappas, 7 points, 100. From Star Tannery, Dallas Everett, 7 points, 100. From Mt. Clinton, Md., Tommy Sager, 8 points, 155. From Cincinnati, O., James T. Byrnes, 6 points, 130. From Fairmont, B. Scally, 5 points, 125; Lawrence Furr, 8 points, 150 and Elmer C. Grumbach, 7 points, 190. From Rig, Mort Riggleman, 8 points, 170. From Kessel, Clyde P. Snyder, 6 points, 150.

PIEDMONT—Eugene L. Sutter, 7 points, 185. From Charleston, John Schoolcraft, 8 points, 125. From Bergton, Va., S. L. Lantz, 8 points, 200 and Lawrence Moser, 6 points, 100. From Baltimore, Md., Roy Sisk, 6 points, 125. From Lehew, Goldie Whiteacre, 9 points, 140. From Washington, D. C., Selwyn P. Smith, 9 points, 140; Edmund C. Duringer, 4 points, 90; and Omer W. Orndorff, 10 points, 160. From Edinburg, Va., Andrew Cook, 6 points, 110 and Earl Hollar, 7 points, 150. From Perry, Lena Sager, 6 points, 120 and Alfred L. Orndorff, 3 points, 90. From Lost River, Bob Branson, 5 points, 112 and H. D. Sager, 8 points, 135.

Woman Is Injured When Hit by Car

Mrs. Alonza Chaney, 62, was treated in Allegany hospital yesterday morning for brush burns about the elbows, knee and face after, she told attaches, she was struck by a car on McMullen highway at Roberts place.

State Trooper Glen D. Folk, who investigated, said Mrs. Chaney alighted from a bus and walked between two cars into the path of a Cumberland bound car driven by Mrs. Mary L. Adams, Route 3.

The state trooper said the Adams car was traveling slowly because of the heavy Celanese traffic. No charges were placed against the driver, Trooper Folk added.

Lonaconing Girl

(Continued from Page 13)

its annual Christmas party last evening at the home of Mrs. Edwin L. Robeson, Route 40, with Mrs. Scott Layman as assisting hostess. The topic for discussion was "The Church's Gift to Us," with Miss Clara Layman acting as discussion leader. Guests included Mrs. Frances McKenzie and her daughter, Gladys, Cumberland. Mrs. McKenzie joined the group, making the twenty-fourth member.

Farrady Post No. 24, American Legion, will hold a class initiation of new members Monday, December 17, at 8 p. m. in the Legion hall, East Main street. The affair will be in charge of Carl F. Mayer, chairman of the initiation committee, and Charles Cole, commander of the post.

The W.S.C.S. of First Methodist church, will meet Thursday at 2 p. m. in the church for the annual Christmas program, which will be in charge of Mrs. J. Carter Shryock. The evening group will meet at 8 p. m. with Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor in charge. Refreshments will be served.

Frostburg Personals

Mr. and Mrs. William Merrbaugh, Grantsville, announce the birth of a son Monday morning in Miners hospital.

Miss Eleanor McLane has accepted a position in Washington, D. C.

Miss Betty Yantz returned to her home in Mt. Savage after undergoing an operation in Miners hospital.

Staff Sgt. Ralph Lemmert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lemmert, 177 East Main street, is home after receiving an honorable discharge from the army. He served twenty-three months overseas as an X-ray technician attached to a general hospital in Australia, New Guinea and Manila. He was in the service over three years. Prior to his induction he was employed in the office of the Celanese plant.

Staff Sgt. Carl D. Kennell is home after receiving an honorable discharge from the army at Camp Hood, Tex. He entered the service in July, 1941, and served as an instructor at training camps in California, Louisiana and Texas. A son of Harry Kennell, Sand Spring, he resides with his sister, Mrs. Lawrence Wiebrecht, 79 Pine street. He has resumed his position at Cobey Engle's meat market.

Edward R. Langan, radioman second class, arrived in San Francisco aboard the USS Nevada after twenty months' service in the South Pacific. He will spend a thirty-day leave with his mother, Mrs. Mary Langan, Wood street, before reporting for re-assignment.

Miss Catherine Klosterman, Eckhart, is a patient in Miners hospital.

Miss Edna Bittner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Bittner, Ormond street, is in New York city, where she is enrolled at a school of beauty culture.

Charles M. McFarland, newly elected high priest of Ohr Royal Arch Chapter, a local Masonic body, and Louis Edmunds, past high priest, were in Baltimore Tuesday, attending a meeting of the Grand Chapter of Maryland, held in the Masonic Temple, North Charles street.

Mrs. James Hitchins, 85 Broadway, is a patient in Miners hospital.

Cpl. Santime Femi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nazarebe Femi, Morantown, is home from the army, having received an honorable discharge. He entered the service November 5, 1942, and served for twenty-nine months with an airborne division in the Philippines, Okinawa, New Guinea and Japan.

—Because confectioners' sugar contains a small amount of corn starch it tends to make clear beverages, like tea, coffee or "fruit punch, cloudy, but is not noticeable in milk drinks.

AUXILIARY RECEIVES CANCER FUND SHARE

The Memorial hospital auxiliary received $1,350, its share of the funds collected by the field army of the American Cancer Society last Spring.

Members have asked that a surgical dressing class be formed. Interested persons should contact Mrs. Douglas Smith.

Within eight months the sewing group of the Auxiliary has made 6,000 articles in meetings at the hospital, with Mrs. W. Royce Hodges and Mrs. Clarence Litzenburg in charge. "There has been an average of eight persons sewing each Tuesday, although a number are not members of the auxiliary. Among those who meet each week are Mrs. Guy Brengle, Mrs. Leonard Cooper, Mrs. Mary Fridinger, Mrs. William Judy, Mrs. Clarence Griggs, Mrs. Barnet Beneman, Mrs. Claude Jett, Miss Lydia Millman and Mrs. E. M. Brown.

The surgical dressing class is also doing much work in keeping the hospital supplied with bandages under the leadership of Mrs. Douglas Smith with Mrs. Orble B. Boughton as assistant chairman. Other members include Mrs. Charles W. Willison, Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. Arthur Happe, Miss Ella Hodgson and Mrs. Katherine Hodgson.

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Statement By

The Potomac Edison Co.

TO ALL

BUS PATRONS

The Company regrets the interruption of City Bus Service and believes the public is entitled to know the facts concerning the event which preceded it.

Our first knowledge of the stoppage was at 5:30 a. m., December 12, when we were informed by a member of Division 1110, that its members "were in continuous meeting" and would not report for work.

Bus drivers and maintenance men have been working under agreements between Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employes of America, Division 1110 and the Company since January 16, 1943. The present agreement was signed January 24, 1945, and does not expire until January 15, 1946.

The agreement now in effect contains the following "no strike, no lockout" clause: **"The Association and its members agree that during the period of this agreement there shall be no strikes or walkouts by the association or its members, and the Company agrees that there shall be no lockouts of the Association or its members, it being the mutual desire of both parties hereto to provide uninterrupted and continuous service to the public."**

Therefore, the action of the union in this case is a violation of the existing agreement.

The cause of the present stoppage is not the result of any differences between the company and the union under the agreement which has five weeks to run, but has resulted instead from the negotiations for a new agreement to cover the period beginning January 16, 1946. The status of these negotiations is as follows:

On November 8, 1945, the union requested a meeting with the Company to negotiate changes to be incorporated in next years' agreement.

On December 4, 1945, the first meeting was held and the union presented and explained the changes being requested.

On December 7, 1945, a second meeting was held when the Company made a counter proposal incorporating several of the changes proposed by the union. The Company proposal included a wage increase which combined with prior increases, constitutes an increase of 41½% in the drivers' base rate since January, 1941. There is no problem of reduced take home pay, shortening the working hours, or other changes in employee benefits.

On December 11, 1945, a third meeting was held and the Company was not informed that negotiations would be discontinued.

The agreement now in effect makes full provision for the arbitration of any differences between the Company and the union regarding the terms of the agreement.

The Company has complied with all the provisions of the existing contract.

Call it what you will, the present work stoppage is a "strike" and is in violation of the existing agreement.

PILLSBURY GOLD MEDAL FLOUR 25 lb. bag $1.23

NESTLES MILK 10 tall cans 85¢

Domino Sugar 5 lb. bag 32¢

Sour Kraut 36 oz. jar 25¢

Waldorf Tissue 4 rolls 19¢

Solid Pack TOMATOES 2 No. 2 cans 23¢ Case of 24 cans $2.69

Carroll County Cream Golden CORN 2 No. 2 cans 25¢ Case of 24 cans $2.89

U. S. No. 1 Pa. Potatoes Blue Label 45¢ Pk Red Label 27c Pk

VEAL CHOPS 26c lb.

BEEF LIVER lb. 37c
PORK LIVER lb. 25c
COOKED SALAMI lb. 40c

Center Cut Pork Chops 35c lb. | All Pork Sausage 38c lb. | Minced Ham 33c lb. | Sliced Cheese 35c lb.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Virginia Smith Schmutz, Plaintiff, Vs. Paul E. Schmutz, Defendant.

No. 18789 Equity. In the Circuit Court for Allegany County, Maryland.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree divorcing the plaintiff A MENSA ET THORO from the defendant.

The bill of complaint states that the plaintiff is a resident of Cumberland, Allegany County, Maryland, and that she and the defendant were married on the 8th day of April, 1944, and lived together as husband and wife until the 27th day of September, 1945, on which date the defendant abandoned and deserted the said plaintiff without just cause or reason, and that such desertion is deliberate and final and the separation of the parties beyond any reasonable expectation of reconciliation. The bill further states that no children were born of said marriage, and prays that the court grant to the plaintiff the right to resume her maiden name.

It is thereupon, this 5th. day of December, 1945, by the Circuit Court for Allegany County, in Equity, ordered that the plaintiff cause a copy of this order, with the object and substance of the bill of complaint to be inserted in some newspaper published in Allegany County once a week for four successive weeks, before the 6th. day of January, 1946, giving notice to the said non-resident defendant to appear in this court, in person or by solicitor, on or before the 22nd. day of January, 1946, to show cause, if any there be, why a decree shall not be passed as prayed.

ROBERT JACKSON, Clerk

True Copy, Test:
ROBERT JACKSON, Clerk.
—Advertisement N-Dec 6-13-20-27

Law Offices of MORGAN C. HARRIS
111 Union Street
Cumberland, Maryland

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Allen Robert Green vs. Juanita Virginia Green, No. 18766 Equity, in the Circuit Court for Allegany County, Maryland.

The object of this suit is to procure a decree divorcing the Plaintiff A VINCULO MATRIMONII from the Defendant.

The bill states that they were married on the 23rd day of September, 1942, and that the Defendant committed the crime of adultery with a certain person whose name will be divulged at the hearing in this cause, and the offense has not been condoned by the Plaintiff; that the Plaintiff has been a resident of the State of Maryland for more than one year prior to the bringing of this action, and the Defendant is a non-resident of the State of Maryland, and the Plaintiff asks for an Order of Publication against the Defendant and general relief.

It is thereupon this 4th. day of December, 1945, by the Circuit Court for Allegany County, sitting in equity, ordered that the Plaintiff by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Allegany County once in each of four successive weeks on or before the 6th. day of January, 1946, giving notice to said absent Defendant of the object and substance of this bill and warning her to appear in person, or by solicitor, on or before the 22nd. day of January, 1946, to show cause, if any she might have, why a decree ought not be passed as prayed.

ROBERT JACKSON, Clerk.

True Copy; Test:
ROBERT JACKSON, Clerk.
—Adv. N-Dec. 6, 13, 20, 27

Albert A. Doub, Jr., Attorney
Cumberland, Maryland

TRUSTEE'S SALE
Of Valuable Double-Frame Dwelling Near Lonaconing, Maryland.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Allegany County, Maryland, same being No. 18,457 Equity, the undersigned Trustee will sell at public auction in front of The Liberty Trust Company, in Lonaconing, Maryland, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1945 At 11 O'Clock A. M.

ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND AND IMPROVEMENTS thereon, situated in "Knapp's Meadow" near Lonaconing, Maryland, and particularly described as follows:

ALL that lot of ground situated near Mine No. 1 of The Georges Creek Coal and Iron Company near the Town of Lonaconing in what is known as "Knapp's Meadow" and described as beginning at a stake standing at the intersection of a road and an unnamed street and being the Southwest corner of the whole lot of which this is a part, and running thence along with the Eastern side of said unnamed street North 21 degrees, 15 minutes East 90 feet to a stake, thence South 68 degrees, 45 minutes East 150 feet to a stake; thence South 21 degrees 15 minutes West 90 feet to a stake; thence North 68 degrees, 45 minutes West along with the road 150 feet to the place of beginning. It being the same property which was conveyed to Amos G. Parker by deed from Edward H. Dye and others dated July 15, 1944 and recorded in Liber No. 201, folio 84 among the Land Records of Allegany County, Maryland.

THIS PROPERTY IS IMPROVED BY A DOUBLE-FRAME DWELLING CONTAINING SIX ROOMS ON EACH SIDE.

TERMS OF SALE: One-Third Cash on day of sale, balance upon ratification of sale and delivery of deed. Taxes and other expenses to be adjusted to day of sale.

ALBERT A. DOUB, Jr.
Trustee
—Advertisement N-Dec 8-13-20

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters of Administration on the estate of Alexander C. Naismith, late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 20th day of May, 1946. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted

Steels, Motors and Aircrafts Lose Around Three Points in Trading

By HUDSON PHILLIPS

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—(AP)—Steels, Motors and Aircrafts lost fractions to around three points in today's stock market.

Most of the other divisions were lowered a lesser amount in one of the biggest selloffs in almost a month. A good part of the slump was interpreted as a technical correction of the list's recent lengthy advance to fifteen-year peaks.

Also contributing were the stalemated automotive labor-management negotiations and the call for an industry-wide steel strike on January 14.

Volume totaled 1,680,000 shares against 1,690,00 yesterday.

Lower were United States Steel, Bethlehem, Youngstown Sheet, General Motors, Chrysler, Packard, Goodrich, Montgomery Ward, International Harvester, Douglas Aircraft, Glenn Martin, North American, Anaconda, Phelps Dodge, Westinghouse, du Pont, Union Carbide, Allied Chemical, Santa Fe, Great Northern and Standard Oil (NJ.)

The Curb followed the pattern of the big board with declines posted by Aireon Berkey and Gay, Niagara-Hudson Power, Raytheon, Textron, Burma Ltd., and Pan American Airway warrants. Transactions aggregated 880,000 shares against 900,000 yesterday.

The bond market was mixed today with some railroad issues advancing more than a point.

Sales for the day were $7,605,000 compared with $8,920,000 Tuesday.

United States governments were quiet.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Dec. 12 (AP)—Stock list today's close:

Air Redn	51⅞	LOF Gl	63¾
Alg Corp	5¾	Lig My B	95
Al C D	191	Loril	30½
Am Can	14	Martin Gl	39¼
Am C Fd	66¾	M Ward	73¾
Am R Mill	29⅛	Nat Bis	33⅜
Am Smel	67⅛	Nat Cr	39⅝
ATT	193⅝	Nat Dy	34½
Am Tob B	90	Nat Dis	65⅛
Am W Wks	21¾	NY Cen	31⅝
Anaconda	45	Norf Wsn	250
Avn Corp	9¾	Nor Am Avn	14½
B and O	25¼	Owens Ill Gl	77¼
Bendix	54¾	Pack Mtrs	11
Beth Stl	94¾	Pa RR	43¾
Boe Airp	32⅝	Pepsi Cola	36½
Budd Mfg	19⅜	Plym Oil	26¼
Celan	64¼	Pullman	62¼
C and O	55⅞	Pur Oil	23¾
Chrys	135⅞	Rad Crp	18¼
Col G E	22¾	Rem Rand	34½
Com Cr	48¼	Rep Stl	31
Com'w Sou	3⅛	R Tob B	37⅞
Con Ed	33	Srs Roe	36⅞
Curt Wr	8⅜	Soe Vac	17⅞
Doug Air	96	Sou Pac	59⅛
duPont	189¾	Sper Crp	38
Eastman	229	Sta Br	49½
Elau Lite	69½	SO Cal	49
El P Lt	18⅛	SO Ind	43¾
Firest	69⅜	SO NJ	65¾
Gen El	49	Swift Co	38
Gen Fds	49½	Texas Co	60¾
Gen Mtrs	75¾	Tex G Sul	49¾
Goodrich	35½	Tidew Oil	23⅜
Goodyr	60	Un Carbide	98¾
Gt N Pfd	59⅜	Un Airc	36
Greyhnd	34	United Carbon	81
Ill Cen	40⅞	US Rubber	68
Int Hv	98⅛	US Stl	82¼
Int N Can	38¼	Wes Md	11¾
Johns Man	144	West Elec	36⅞
Kenn Cop	50	Yng S T	67¾
Kroger	44⅜		

Position of Treasury

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12—(AP)—The position of the Treasury December 10:

Receipts $99,712,874.56; expenditures $147,545,472.48; balance $25,154,036,825.52; customs receipts for month $10,451,428.75; receipts fiscal year July 1 $16,296,553,578.09; expenditures fiscal year $34,366,915,408.53; excess of expenditures $18,070,361,830.44; total debt $277,377,534,629.65; increase over previous day $2,750,218,581.25; gold assets $20,045,267,797.93.

Chicago Grain Prices

CHICAGO, Dec. 12 (AP)—Sensitive rye prices fluctuated broadly today under the pressure of light to moderate liquidation and scattered support but lost up to three cents on the December deliveries.

Closing futures:

WHEAT—December 1.80½, May 1.80½, July 1.77¼, September 1.74⅞.

CORN—December 1.18½, May 1.18½, July 1.18½, September 1.18½.

OATS—December 76¾-⅞, May 75¾-½, July 72½-¾, September 69⅝-¾.

RYE—December 1.77, May 1.64¼, July 1.44½, September 1.40¼.

BARLEY—December 1.22½, May 1.20⅝, July 1.15½.

Cash grains:

WHEAT—No. 2 red, 1.79, ceiling; No. 2 hard, 1.79, ceiling.

No corn sales.

OATS—No. 1 mixed extra heavy, 84 plus one cent markup; No. 1 mixed extra heavy, 83½; No. 2 white heavy, 81 plus one cent markup.

BARLEY—Nominal; malting, 1.21-1.39½; feed, 1.15-1.23¼.

FIELD SEED—Per hundredweight, nominal: timothy, 5.25-5.50; red top, 11.00-11.50; red clover, 31.50; sweet clover, 10.75; alsike, 28.50; alfalfa, common, 33.50-36.50.

Baltimore Cattle

BALTIMORE, Dec. 11 (AP)—(USDA)

Cattle — 3000 — Representative classes fairly active, steady with Tuesday; bulk steer receipts intended for Thursday's market; common and medium cows 9.00-12.00; canners and cutters 6.50-8.50; good weighty sausage bulls scarce, eligible to 12.50; bulk light and medium weight 9.00-12.00.

Calves — 100 — vealers active, steady with Tuesday; weighty slaughter calves slow, about steady; mixed lot good and choice 120-220 lb vealers 15.50 to mainly 16.50; common and medium 9.50-14.50; mostly 11.00 up; culls around 7.50, extreme light weights down to 5.00; good weighty slaughter calves 14.00; common and medium 10.00-13.00.

Hogs — 200 — active, barrows and gilts from 300-450 lbs 15 cents higher than Tuesday; all other weights steady; sows 15 cents higher; good and choice 140-300 lbs barrows and gilts 15.40 the ceiling; 300-375 lbs 15.15; 375-450 lbs 14.90; good sows 14.40.

Sheep — 50 — slaughter lambs scarce, active, steady with Tuesday; practical top 16.00; mixed lot good and choice wooled lambs usually from 80 lbs up and including buck 15.50 to mainly 16.00; common and medium 11.50-14.50; culls around 8.50; slaughter ewes active, steady; choice light weight wooled and shorn ewes 6.50; bulk common to good 3.00-6.00 according to grade.

Pittsburgh Produce

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 12—(AP)—(United States Department of Agriculture)—Produce demand moderate.

Apples 14 cars, steady. Combination bushel baskets Pennsylvania Golden Delicious and Grimes Golden 4.50-75; Virginia York Imperials 4.90; bushel cartons Ohio Rome Beauties and Baldwin 4.90.

Potatoes 23 cars, steady. United States No. 1 100 lb. sacks Maine Katahdins 2.75-3.00; Nebraska Bliss Triumphs 3.25; Idaho Russet Burbanks 3.25-75; 50 lb. sacks Maine Katahdins 1.35-40; 15 lb. sacks Maine Katahdins 43-46.

Eggs unchanged.

New York Produce

NEW YORK, Dec. 1—(AP)—Eggs 26,360; firm; current general wholesale prices follow:

Whites: extras, No. 1 to No. 4, 45 lbs. and over, nearby 50.1-52.8; medium, 40-44 lbs. nearby 47.8.

Butter 289,824; firm. Prices unchanged. Cheese 289,131; nominal; no quotations.

Record Deer Kill Of 201 Reported In Grant County

By MYRTLE PARK

Petersburg, W. Va., Dec. 12—Game Warden Harrison Shobe reports 201 deer killed in Grant county last week which is the largest number of deer ever killed in Grant county. In 1944 there were 173 killed, despite bad weather and not many hunters out.

Name	Address	Wt.	Pts.
Tracy Smith, Arthur, W. Va.		150	8
G. R. Ours, Petersburg, W. Va.		190	5
Walter Parrish, Burlington, W. Va.		160	8
Edgar Nelson, Petersburg, W. Va.		160	7
Lloyd F. Smith, Burlington, W. Va.		163	8
Allan L. LaRue, Piedmont, W. Va.		150	4
H. V. Sites, Petersburg, W. Va.		150	5
L. L. Cokeley, Harrisville, W. Va.		100	4
Ira Whetzel, Doreas, W. Va.		112	10
Harry Nelson, Petersburg, W. Va.		175	8
Arthur Goldizen,			
Jordan Run, W. Va.		150	6
James Sites, Petersburg, W. Va.		135	8
Clyde Kuhn, Mt. Storm, W. Va.		150	11
Max C. Sites, Petersburg, W. Va.		210	5
Roy Edwards, Thornton, W. Va.		121	8
Jim Gaither, Bayard, W. Va.		160	12
Elton G. Harman,			
Petersburg, W. Va.		200	11
Glenn A. McMannis,			
Bayard, W. Va.		145	9
John B. Maxors, Mt. Morris, Pa.		110	4
H. T. Spencer, Bayard, W. Va.		162	8
L. W. Phillips, Parkersburg, W. Va.		125	12
Robert Elliott, Kitzmiller, Md.		125	7
Harry Sayers, Elk Garden, W. Va.		125	8
C. B. Sions, Cabins, W. Va.		200	8
Hobert Spiker, Kitzmiller, Md.		165	8
George Arnold, Bayard, W. Va.		120	8
William Agnew, Keyser, W. Va.		160	8
Earl Ours, Cabins, W. Va.		120	8
Richard Arnold, Bayard, W. Va.		135	7
Frank Cline, Bayard, W. Va.		140	5
H. O. Sions, Burlington, W. Va.		160	8
W. H. Prather, Harrisville, W. Va.		125	6
C. D. Sions, Petersburg, W. Va.		140	8
Kenneth Buckman,			
Rockport, W. Va.		95	4
Robert Brown, Maysville, W. Va.		140	7
Quinton Champ, Medley, W. Va.		180	10
D. Scott Thompson,			
Clarksburg, W. Va.		150	6
Jesse Kitzmiller, Mt. Storm, W. Va.		213	12
William Berger,			
Lahmansville, W. Va.		167	8
R. S. Head, Gormania, W. Va.		172	8
Oreta Jones, Mt. Storm, W. Va.		133	6
Earl R. Williams,			
Parkersburg, W. Va.		125	8
Robert F. Guthrie, Bayard, W. Va.		173	6
J. C. Smith, Parkersburg, W. Va.		129	6
Fred J. Frazier, Bayard, W. Va.		115	6
Jessie J. White, Riverton, W. Va.		125	3
Carl E. Williams, Bayard, W. Va.		175	12
Floyd E. Williams, Riverton, W. Va.		140	6
Walter Gay, Bayard, W. Va.		124	4
John Kimble, Cassville, W. Va.		165	8
Glenn Ruddle, Riverton, W. Va.		140	5
William Yocum, Cassville, W. Va.		100	4
George Harding, Emoryville, W. Va.		110	5
D. C. Ridings, Bloomington, Md.		130	9
S. J. Secrist, Mt. Storm, W. Va.		125	4
Arngie Aronhalt, Bismark, W. Va.		151	8
Arthur Rohrbaugh,			
Maysville, W. Va.		135	8
Walter B. Cosner, Scherr, W. Va.		150	7
Paul Evans, Jordan Run, W. Va.		175	5
Jerome Muntzing, Martin, W. Va.		245	10
George W. Roberts, Arthur, W. Va.		125	4
Albert Muntzing, Maysville, W. Va.		150	4
Denver Dolly, Maysville, W. Va.		125	4
Jesse Idleman, Scherr, W. Va.		190	11
Cletus Dolly, Maysville, W. Va.		150	8
C. B. Burgess, Bismark, W. Va.		172	6
Noah Rohrbaugh, Maysville, W. Va.		140	5
Orville Wolfe, Scherr, W. Va.		180	8
Ted R. McDonald,			
Maysville, W. Va.		250	8
Robert Kessel, Scherr, W. Va.		140	4
H. Elmer Hanlin, Bismark, W. Va.		125	3
Virgil E. Secrist, Maysville, W. Va.		180	20
Glenvil Feaster,			
Jordan Run, W. Va.		175	5
Cpl. Oather H. Heavner,			
Petersburg, W. Va.		170	9
Clarence Harper, Onego, W. Va.		140	4
Virgil O. Kimble,			
Smoke Holes, W. Va.		175	10
Golden Landis, Onego, W. Va.		150	7
E. P. Goldizen, Jordan Run, W. Va.		190	11
Harold Kitzmiller,			
Elk Garden, W. Va.		200	9
I. F. Whitworth, Alexandria, Va.		149	8
Walter S. Arnold,			
Elk Garden, W. Va.		150	7
Encil R. Wade, Cameron, W. Va.		130	8
Ralph Woodyard, Grafton, W. Va.		105	2
Ralph Line, Bismark, W. Va.		135	8
Raymond C. Idleman,			
Bayard, W. Va.		130	6
Lester Stemple, Aurora, W. Va.		200	10

Pfc. Benny Beal Is Discharged

By CATHERINE O'ROURKE

MT. SAVAGE, Dec. 12 — Pfc. Benny L. Beal, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Beal, Calla Hill, received an honorable discharge from the army, December 4, at Fort George G. Meade. He enlisted March 17, 1943, and as stationed at Camp Butner, N. C., and Nashville, Tenn., before being sent overseas. He participated in combat duty in Normandy, Northern France, Ardennes, Rhineland and Central Europe. He was entitled to wear the distinguished unit badge, European - African - Middle Eastern ribbon, good conduct medal and victory ribbon. Pfc. Beal served with the Two Hundred Ninety-ninth engineer battalion.

Circle Has Banquet

The Dora Thomas Circle of the Methodist church held its annual Christmas party and banquet Monday evening in the church recreation hall. Tables were decorated with red tapers and evergreens. Mrs. Dora Burch acted as Santa Claus and distributed gifts to class sisters.

A program of Christmas carols was presented with Miss Lola Lewis at the piano.

Brief Items

A party for the benefit of the Jennings Run Council, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, will be held Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the Junior Order hall, Main street.

Personals

Edward Deffenbaugh and Harry Crowe have returned after attending the funeral of George Klotzbaugh, Pittsburgh. Mr. Klotzbaugh was the husband of the late Ella Elizabeth Klotzbaugh, a native of Mt. Savage.

Sgt. and Mrs. C. Orborne Duvall are leaving Wichita Falls, Texas, to reside at Langley Field. They will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Twigg this week.

Mrs. Thomas E. Stephens is in Baltimore, where her mother, Mrs. Margaret Carroll, is a patient at Johns Hopkins hospital.

Mrs. Charles Rizer is a patient at Memorial hospital, Cumberland.

Hardy County Deer Kill Totals 141 For 1945 Season

By MRS. R. E. FISHER

MOOREFIELD, W. Va., Dec. 12—A total of 141 deer were killed in Hardy county during the six day deer season, according to the belated report by District Game Protector John Shanholtz, Tuesday. Reports were delayed from the county's eleven checking stations due to bad roads and inclement weather.

Reporting from **Moorefield** were C. B. Hiett, 9 points, 140 pounds; Ervin Wratchford, 6 points, 90 pounds; Arno E. Friddle, 7 points, 150; Harry Welton Jr., 7 points, 165; Glenn Stump, 4 points, 75; H. T. Cook, 9 points, 155; James E. Delawder, 6 points, 160; Roy Liggett, 7 points, 160; William Sherman, 11 points, 200; Chas. J. Riggleman, 9 points, 100; E. G. Sions, 3 points, 100; John W. Shreve, 4 points, 150; Charles H. Clower, 6 points, 150; Oscar Fitzwater, 5 points, 145; June Vetter, 10 points, 175; Paul McNeill, 7 points, 190; William L. Feller, 3 points, 156; Ray Poling, 10 points, 170; R. E. Saville, 8 points, 150; Charles I. Smith, 11 points, 168; H. M. Calhoun, 4 points, 200.

MATHIAS, Alston Sherman, 9 points, 180; Lawrence Wilkins, 7 points, 140; Doman Dove, 10 points, 114; C. H. May, 7 points, 175; Kenna C. Whetzel, 8 points, 150; Armond Mongold, 5 points, 79; Garnet Wilkins, 9 points, 161; Vance Halterman, 7 points, 112; and Blaine Halterman, 9 points, 200.

WARDENSVILLE, F. P. Baker, 10 points, 165; Romanus Rudy, 8 points, 160; E. J. Heishman, 6 points, 130; James Vance, 3 points, 90; Porterfield Keckley, 4 points, 100; Howard Tharp, 8 points, 165; C. R. Miller, 10 points, 145; Willard Webster, 6 points, 165; Theodore Webster, 6 points, 170; Stater Kline, 6 points, 150; Wilbur Hahn, 9 points, 147; and Samuel Keckley, 8 points, 180.

PURGITSVILLE, S. L. Strout, 8 points, 200; J. M. Huffman, 12, 151; Arthur Sions, 8 points, 162; P. W. Greenwalt, 9 points, 192; John W. Haggerty, 5 points, 130. From Needmore were Ernest Pogle, 8 points, 125; Logan A. Miller, 9 points, 127; Ray Miller, 7 points, 125; Marvin Bott, 8 points, 150; and Walter B. Miller, 9 points, 117. From Old Fields, James Basore, 5 points, 150; E. V. McNutt, 5 points, 125; Walter Hosley, 11 points, 180. From Milam were Homer Davis, 4 points, 90; S. M. Mongold, 4 points, 125; and F. L. Mongold, 12 points, 154.

ROCK OAK—Herbert Hawse, 7 points, 110. From Fisher were J. I. Myers, 8 points, 110; David S. Hutter, 8 points, 200 and John Fisher, 10 points, 175. From Bass, William Kuykendall, 8 points, 180. From Keyser, Edward N. Falk, 4 points, 160. From Cabins, Roy L. Wilson, 4 points, 150. From Kearneysville, E. J. Jenkins, 8 points, 200 and Roger Victo, 4 points, 135. From Jones Mills, Pa., Kaplan Kalp, 4 points, 130.

PETERSBURG—Frank Turley, 8 points, 160; William Alt, 7 points, 160; R. E. Haynes, 8 points, 160; Stanley Turley, Jr., 5 points, 125; W. F. Strawderman, 5 points, 96; I. S. Alt, 4 points, 99; Guy Turley, 6 points, 140; and Edwin Rodgers, 4 points, 125. At Baker reporting were Cecil Funkhouser, 8 points, 150, and Victor Funkhouser, 11 points, 126. From Lost River, Clyde Showalter, 6 points, 120; J. B. Sager, 8 points, 120; Alston L. Wilkins, 6 points, 103; Homer Sager, 6 points, 118 and Cletis Whetzel, 10 points, 119. From Rio, Roy Smith, 9 points, 165 and William S. Miller, 7 points, 120.

INKERMAN—Berlyn Park, 3 points, 87; and Geo. Hawse, 5 points, 160. From Fabius, T. H. Hott, 2 points, 111; and Leonard L. Orndorff, 4 points, 175. From Romney were David Harmison, 4 points, 146; Henry Powell, 6 points, 140; E. J. Kesner, 7 points, 135; Lowden Thompson, 8 points, 200; and Raymond McNeil, 7 points, 158. From Martinsburg, J. A. Prather, 8 points, 142; Leonard O. Unger, 19 points, 219; Narman E. Allenbaugh, 6 points, 145; N. T. Robinson, 4 points, 120; Harold A. Downey, 3 points, 130; E. T. Henshaw, 8 points, 150; and J. A. Karness, 9 points, 180.

PARKERSBURG—J. E. Wratchford, 7 points, 135. From Paw Paw, Oather Ours 6 points, 125. From Bristol, Md., J. W. Crosby, 8 points, 165. From Harrisonburg, Va., C. C. Good, 9 points, 120. From Mouth of Seneco, W. M. Allen, 10 points, 170 and Virgil Alt, 4 points, 150. From Tiffin, Ohio, Nelson H. Mathias, 8 points, 125. From Struthers, Ohio, F. M. High, 7 points, 102. From Rockville, Md., Frank Osmond, 6 points, 140. From Ruckman, J. D. Poland, 9 points, 160. From New Market, Va., Wilbur Heishman, 5 points, 125.

WINCHESTER, Va., Robert W. Combs, 5 points, 160; Earl Blanchfield, 8 points, 125; Charles Garber, 5 points, 135; Edgar J. Shirley, 4 points, 100; James Pappas, 7 points, 160. From Star Tannery, Dallas Everett, 7 points, 160. From Mt. Clinton, Md., Tommy Sager, 8 points, 155. From Cincinnati, O., James T. Byrnes, 6 points, 130. From Fairmont, B. Scally, 5 points, 125; Lawrence Furr, 8 points, 150 and Elmer C. Grumbach, 7 points, 190. From Rig, Mort Riggleman, 8 points, 170. From Kessel, Clyde P. Snyder, 6 points, 150.

PIEDMONT—Eugene L. Sutter, 7 points, 185. From Charleston, John Schoolcraft, 8 points, 125. From Bergton, Va., S. L. Lantz, 9 points, 200 and Lawrence Moyer, 6 points, 160. From Baltimore, Md., Roy Sisk, 6 points, 125. From Lehew, Goldie Whitacre, 9 points, 140. From Washington, D. C., Selwyn P. Smith, 9 points, 140; Edmund C. Duringer, 4 points, 90; and Omer W. Orndorff, 10 points, 160. From Edinburg, Va., Andrew Cook, 6 points, 110 and Earl Hollar, 7 points, 150. From Perry, Lena Sager, 6 points, 130 and Alfred L. Orndorff, 7 points, 90. From Lost River, Bob Branson, 5 points, 112 and H. D. Sager, 8 points, 135.

Woman Is Injured When Hit by Car

Mrs. Alonza Chaney, 62, was treated in Allegany hospital yesterday morning for brush burns about the elbows, knee and face after, she told attaches, she was struck by a car on McMullen highway at Roberts place.

State Trooper Glen D. Folk, who investigated, said Mrs. Chaney alighted from a bus and walked between two cars into the path of a Cumberland bound car driven by Mrs. Mary L. Adams, Route 3.

The state trooper said the Adams car was traveling slowly because of the heavy Celanese traffic. No charges were placed against the driver, Trooper Folk added.

Lonaconing Girl

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its annual Christmas party last evening at the home of Mrs. Edwin L. Robeson, Route 40, with Mrs. Scott Layman as assisting hostess. The topic for discussion was "The Church's Gift to Us," with Miss Clara Layman acting as discussion leader. Guests included Mrs. Frances McKenzie and her daughter, Gladys, Cumberland. Mrs. McKenzie joined the group, making the twenty-fourth member.

Farrady Post No. 24, American Legion, will hold a class initiation of new members Monday, December 17, at 8 p. m. in the Legion hall, East Main street. The affair will be in charge of Carl F. Mayer, chairman of the initiation committee, and Charles Cole, commander of the post.

The W.S.C.S. of First Methodist church, will meet Thursday at 2 p. m. in the church for the annual Christmas program, which will be in charge of Mrs. J. Carter Shryock. The evening group will meet at 8 p. m. with Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor in charge. Refreshments will be served.

Frostburg Personals

Mr. and Mrs. William Merrbaugh, Grantsville, announce the birth of a son Monday morning in Miners hospital.

Miss Eleanor McLane has accepted a position in Washington, D. C.

Miss Betty Yantz returned to her home in Mt. Savage after undergoing an operation in Miners hospital.

Staff Sgt. Ralph Lemmert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lemmert, 177 East Main street, is home after receiving an honorable discharge from the army. He served twenty-three months overseas as an X-ray technician attached to a general hospital in Australia, New Guinea and Manila. He was in the service over three years. Prior to his induction he was employed in the office of the Celanese plant.

Staff Sgt. Carl D. Kennell is home after receiving an honorable discharge from the army at Camp Hood, Tex. He entered the service in July, 1941, and served as an instructor at training camps in California, Louisiana and Texas. A son of Harry Kennell, Sand Spring, he resides with his sister, Mrs. Lawrence Wiebrecht, 79 Pine street. He has resumed his position at Cobey Engle's meat market.

Edward R. Langan, radioman second class, arrived in San Francisco aboard the USS Nevada after twenty months' service in the South Pacific. He will spend a thirty-day leave with his mother, Mrs. Mary Langan, Wood street, before reporting for re-assignment.

Miss Catherine Klosterman, Eckhart, is a patient in Miners hospital.

Miss Edna Bittner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Bittner, Ormond street, is in New York city, where she is enrolled at a school of beauty culture.

Charles M. McFarland, newly elected high priest of Ohr Royal Arch Chapter, a local Masonic body, and Louis Edmunds, past high priest, were in Baltimore Tuesday, attending a meeting of the Grand Chapter of Maryland, held in the Masonic Temple, North Charles street.

Mrs. James Hitchins, 85 Broadway, is a patient in Miners hospital.

Cpl. Santime Femi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nazarebe Femi, Morantown, is home from the army, having received an honorable discharge. He entered the service November 5, 1942, and served for twenty-nine months with an airborne division in the Philippines, Okinawa, New Guinea and Japan.

—Because confectioners' sugar contains a small amount of corn starch it tends to make clear beverages, like tea, coffee or fruit punch, cloudy, but is not noticeable in milk drinks.

AUXILIARY RECEIVES CANCER FUND SHARE

The Memorial hospital auxiliary received $1,350, its share of the funds collected by the field army of the American Cancer Society last Spring.

Members have asked that a surgical dressing class be formed. Interested persons should contact Mrs. Douglas Smith.

Within eight months the sewing group of the Auxiliary has made 6,000 articles in meetings at the hospital, with Mrs. W. Royce Hodges and Mrs. Clarence Litzenburg in charge. There has been an average of eight persons sewing each Tuesday, although a number are not members of the auxiliary. Among those who meet each week are Mrs. Guy Brengle, Mrs. Leonard Cooper, Mrs. Mary Fridinger, Mrs. William Judy, Mrs. Clarence Griggs, Mrs. Barnet Beneman, Mrs. Claude Jett, Miss Lydia Millman and Mrs. E. M. Brown.

The surgical dressing class is also doing much work in keeping the hospital supplied with bandages under the leadership of Mrs. Douglas Smith with Mrs. Orble B. Boughton as assistant chairman. Other members include Mrs. Charles W. Williamson, Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. Arthur Happe, Miss Ella Hodgson and Mrs. Katherine Hodgson.

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The Potomac Edison Co.

TO ALL

BUS PATRONS

The Company regrets the interruption of City Bus Service and believes the public is entitled to know the facts concerning the event which preceded it.

Our first knowledge of the stoppage was at 5:30 a. m., December 12, when we were informed by a member of Division 1110, that its members "were in continuous meeting" and would not report for work.

Bus drivers and maintenance men have been working under agreements between Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employes of America, Division 1110 and the Company since January 16, 1943. The present agreement was signed January 24, 1945, and does not expire until January 15, 1946.

The agreement now in effect contains the following "no strike, no lockout" clause: **"The Association and its members agree that during the period of this agreement there shall be no strikes or walkouts by the association or its members, and the Company agrees that there shall be no lockouts of the Association or its members, it being the mutual desire of both parties hereto to provide uninterrupted and continuous service to the public."**

Therefore, the action of the union in this case is a violation of the existing agreement.

The cause of the present stoppage is not the result of any differences between the company and the union under the agreement which has five weeks to run, but has resulted instead from the negotiations for a new agreement to cover the period beginning January 16, 1946. The status of these negotiations is as follows:

On November 8, 1945, the union requested a meeting with the Company to negotiate changes to be incorporated in next years' agreement.

On December 4, 1945, the first meeting was held and the union presented and explained the changes being requested.

On December 7, 1945, a second meeting was held when the Company made a counter proposal incorporating several of the changes proposed by the union. The Company proposal included a wage increase which combined with prior increases, constitutes an increase of 41½% in the drivers' base rate since January, 1941. There is no problem of reduced take home pay, shortening the working hours, or other changes in employee benefits.

On December 11, 1945, a third meeting was held and the Company was not informed that negotiations would be discontinued.

The agreement now in effect makes full provision for the arbitration of any differences between the Company and the union regarding the terms of the agreement.

The Company has complied with all the provisions of the existing contract.

Call it what you will, the present work stoppage is a "strike" and is in violation of the existing agreement.

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Given under my hand this 27th day of November, 1945.

CATHERINE A. WATSON,
Executrix
Washington Lee Apts.
Cumberland, Md.

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Law Office of
George R. Hughes, Attorney
Clark-Keating Building, City

ORDER NISI

In the matter of the sale of the real estate of George L. Reuschline, Deceased.

In the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland.

Ordered this 27th. day of November, 1945, by the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, that the sale of Real Estate made by Jenkintown Bank and Trust Company and Etchen L. Shuck, of Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania, Executors of George L. Reuschline, late of said Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania, deceased, and reported to the Orphans' Court on the 27th day of November, 1945, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 27th day of December, 1945, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Allegany County, Maryland, once a week for three successive weeks before the 20th day of December, 1945.

The report states the amount of sale to be $560.00.

JOHN P. SCHELLHAUS,
J. FRENCH VAN METER,
HARRY F. UHL,
Judges of the Orphans' Court.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Virginia Smith Schmutz, Plaintiff, Vs. Paul E. Schmutz, Defendant.

No. 18769 Equity. In the Circuit Court for Allegany County, Maryland.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree divorcing the plaintiff A MENSA ET THORO from the defendant.

The bill of complaint states that the plaintiff is a resident of Cumberland, Allegany County, Maryland, and that she and the defendant were married on the 8th day of April, 1944, and lived together as husband and wife until the 27th day of September, 1945, on which date the defendant abandoned and deserted the said plaintiff without just cause or reason, and that such desertion is deliberate and final and the separation of the parties beyond any reasonable expectation of reconciliation. The bill further states that no children were born of said marriage, and prays that the court grant to the plaintiff the right to resume her maiden name.

It is thereupon, this 5th. day of December, 1945, by the Circuit Court for Allegany County, in Equity, ordered that the plaintiff cause a copy of this order, with the object and substance of the bill of complaint to be inserted in some newspaper published in Allegany County once a week for four successive weeks, before the 6th. day of January, 1946, giving notice to the said non-resident defendant to appear in this court, in person or by solicitor, on or before the 22nd. day of January, 1946, to show cause, if any there be, why a decree shall not be passed as prayed.

ROBERT JACKSON,
Clerk

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Clerk.

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Law Offices of MORGAN C. HARRIS
111 Union Street
Cumberland, Maryland

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Allen Robert Green vs. Juanita Virginia Green, No. 18766 Equity, in the Circuit Court for Allegany County, Maryland.

The object of this suit is to procure a decree divorcing the Plaintiff A VINCULO MATRIMONII from the Defendant.

The bill states that they were married on the 23rd day of September, 1942, and that the Defendant committed the crime of adultery with a certain person whose name will be divulged at the hearing in this cause, and the offense has not been condoned by the Plaintiff; that the Plaintiff has been a resident of the State of Maryland for more than one year prior to the bringing of this action, and the Defendant is a non-resident of the State of Maryland, and the Plaintiff asks for an Order of Publication against the Defendant and general relief.

It is thereupon this 4th. day of December, 1945, by the Circuit Court for Allegany County, sitting in equity, ordered that the Plaintiff by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Allegany County once in each of four successive weeks on or before the 6th. day of January, 1946, giving notice to said absent Defendant of the object and substance of this bill and warning her to appear in person, or by solicitor, on or before the 22nd. day of January, 1946, to show cause, if any she might have, why a decree ought not be passed as prayed.

ROBERT JACKSON,
Clerk.

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ROBERT JACKSON,
Clerk.

—Adv. N-Dec. 6, 13, 20, 27

Albert A. Doub, J

LaSalle Cagers Will Open Season Sunday

Alumni Will Test Newly Uniformed Explorer Quint

Game Scheduled for 3 p. m.; LaSalle Squad Is Cut to 15 Players

Sporting new uniforms, the 1945-46 edition of LaSalle high school basketball teams, coached by William Vincent Keegan, will launch its campaign on Sunday afternoon when it does battle with the Alumni on SS. Peter and Paul court, Fayette street, at 3 o'clock, Brother Gregory, director of athletics, announced last evening.

The graduate quintet will be headed by Eddie Gunning, of the West Virginia University varsity team and William "Shad" Hunt, who starred with Explorer quints in recent seasons. Ray Shaffer, "Penny" Shaffer and other former LaSalle players should make the Alumni a tough opening assignment for Keegan's warriors.

Squad Cut to Fifteen

Coach Keegan yesterday announced that his squad has been cut to fifteen players, only five of whom saw service in past years. Jack Steiner is the veteran of the squad with three years' experience. Approximately fifty boys came out for basketball this season and the squad has been cut down after several weeks of daily workouts at the west side gymnasium.

Clifton Van Roby has been named to referee Sunday's game.

Brother Gregory said that the new uniforms to be worn by the Explorers consist of blue satin trunks set off by gold braid, blue rayon jerseys with the name of the school lettered in gold across the front slant style. The jackets are highly polished blue satin trimmed in gold and the players will wear gold knee pads. The jerseys will carry three inch numerals on front and four inch numbers on the back. The numbers run from two to seventeen.

Officials Are Selected

Brother Gregory also announced that "Eck" Miers and Van Roby will officiate at the LaSalle-Fort Hill game at SS. Peter and Paul court January 11 and the return contest at Fort Hill, February 8. Mel Henry and Van Roby will do the officiating in both LaSalle-Allegany games—the first at LaSalle, February 1, and the second at Allegany on March 1.

Here's LaSalle's squad for the approaching floor campaign:

Player	Class	Age
Robert Snyder	Junior	17
William Brannon	Senior	17
Robert Vanderhout	Junior	16
James Delaney	Junior	16
Joseph Dorsey	Senior	17
Robert Mattingly	Senior	17
Thomas Cloonan	Junior	16
John Steiner	Senior	18
Harry Hart	Junior	16
Thomas Carroll	Senior	17
William Kelly	Senior	16
Richard Karlowa	Senior	17
George Martin	Junior	16
James Collins	Sophomore	15
John Stickley	Junior	16

Steiner has been on the squad three years, Hart, two years, and Cloonan, Carroll and Karlowa one year each.

Kentucky Seeks Best Coach Money Can Buy

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 12. (AP)—The rumor bush has been picked almost clean since the University of Kentucky set out to hire "the best football coach money can buy," but the official announcement of any choice for the job was still awaited today.

Wallace Wade, Henry Franka, Jock Sutherland, John Barnhill, Frank Leahy and some others received the most prominent "mention," but from all indications, the ink that will sign the contract was still in the bottle.

Dr. H. L. Donovan, athletic-minded university president, would admit only that he was buried under an avalanche of mail—applications, suggestions and tips.

Naval Academy Lands 1946 IC4A Track Meet

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—(AP)—The 1946 IC4A track and field meet will be held at the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, May 25, officials decided today at a special meeting.

In other meetings, Col. Lawrence (Biff) Jones, graduate manager of athletics at the United States Military Academy, was elected president of the Eastern Intercollegiate Gymnastic League and Al Nixon, director of athletics at New York University, was named president of the Intercollegiate Fencing Association.

Both groups decided not to hold championship competition in 1946.

BASKETBALL SCORES

COLLEGIATE

St. John's (NY) 46, Utah 45 (extra period).
Yale 65, Camp Edwards 29.
Columbia 74, Brooklyn Polytech 32.
Bucknell 43, Franklin-Marshall 32.
Villanova 56, Fordham 39.
Georgia 41, Clemson 34.
Westminster 56, Carnegie Tech 46.
Muhlenberg 55, Penn State 36.
Temple 57, Bainbridge 56.
Southern Methodist 50, Texas Tech 27.
Indiana 54, Hamline 43.
Johns Hopkins 51, Gallaudet 38.
Princeton 49, Rutgers 40.
St. Joseph's 66, Cathedral (NY) 46.
Valley Forge Hospital 58, Albright 35.
Oklahoma Aggies 49, Long Island 33.

Sport Slants

Japs Forgot One Picture
* * * *
"Rip" Stresses Teamwork
* * * *
Mackey's Son Joins Bucs
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Watch Piedmont, 'Eck' Says

By C. V. BURNS

Discussing the part contact sports played in readying young Americans to fight a war, Edgar "Rip" Miller, Navy's line coach, who was guest speaker at the Times-News football dinner Tuesday night, declared that when the Japs "scouted" the United States for all available information prior to the stab in the back at Pearl Harbor they forgot one picture. It was the photograph of eleven American boys in a huddle.

"These kids played a rough and rugged game called football, a game that made boys strong and alert citizens," the former Notre Dame ace asserted.

"Football is not played in Japan because the Nips were of the belief that the game lacked dignity, that it encroached on freedom."

"These same kids grow up, developed teamwork and sacrificed themselves to the horrors of war. They learned the meaning of self sacrifice in team play and they were part of the teams that dropped bombs on all parts of Japan."

Miller pointed out that this picture of eleven kids in a football huddle is one of the reasons we licked Japan.

One particular point stressed by Miller was the present unsettled conditions between labor and management. "Don't let these conditions worry you because that's the way America does things. When labor and management battle it out in the open everything will be settled peaceably," the Middies' mentor assured. "That's the way way we play our games in this country."

"Spokesmen for labor and capital have played in some kind of game and since this country is grounded in teamwork everything will come out all right."

Miller stated that he had talked with officers back from the war and said it was encouraging to learn that sports had done so much toward their success. He mentioned particularly two former Navy football stars—Slade Cutter, who was a submarine commander, and "Buzz" Borries, halfback, as being among the former grid greats who had played an active part in the winning of the war. "And they're so modest and human," he added.

"Rip" asserted that in his contacts with former athletes, who had waged war on the sea and in the air against Japan and Germany, they all agreed that if it wasn't for the fact that they had engaged in competition with their fellow men they didn't think they would have done as well.

"You boys are very fortunate to live in a community as part of an organization that sponsors and encourages all competitive games," Miller told the members of the LaSalle, Allegany and Fort Hill football squads. "I hope these kind of parties are continued. They certainly will encourage the boys to play football—in spite of the reformers."

G. William "Bill" Bibby, who swears by the great horned spoon that "mountain water makes the difference," recalled that he had met the late Knute Rockne in the days of the "Seven Mules" and "Four Horsemen" and admitted that he was always partial to that great team of 1924. He has known Miller for fourteen years and introduced him as one of the "most outstanding men" he has ever met.

Lt. Col. Bibby said that when he was stationed in Belgium it was his job to see that fighter pilots got enough bullets, gas, etc.

"Most of these fellows were youngsters like you players here tonight," Bibby said. "And in their spare moments I noticed that they were out on a field kicking or throwing a football around."

The Colonel, who acted as toastmaster, at the first annual dinner, told several jokes but we thought his best one was about a Chinese, whom the GI's had tantalized by nailing his shoes to the floor and pouring flour in his bed.

After failing to get much of a rise out of the Chinese the GI's agreed to quit pulling tricks and they decided to tell him that they were stopping the funny business.

The Chinese appeared pleased but the GI's got a severe jolt when the victim countered with:

"Then I no spittee in your coffee any more."

Pittsburgh Pirates' Scout Leo Mackey is a proud father these days because his son Lt. Al Mackey, of the army, is going to the Buccaneers' spring training camp where he will be given the "once over."

When Leo managed Cumberland's Colts in the Middle Atlantic Baseball League in 1931 and 1932, Al was a skinny little tot, who came here on numerous occasions from Grafton, Pa., to see his dad's team play.

Albert pitched for Dormont high school and Dormont in the Pittsburgh City League. He was a tall, skinny kid and weighed about 142 pounds when the Army tapped him about four years ago. He weighs 184 pounds now and is eligible for discharge from the service.

Young Mackey had a powerhouse fast ball with 142 pounds behind him four years ago and it stands to reason the extra forty pounds he's tacked on should make him throw harder.

"I don't expect Al to stick with the Pirates," his dad says. "He'll probably be sent to a minor league team but I know he's smarter than he was four years ago. He'd better be."

A boxing fan has recommended

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Company D Rifle Team Is Winner Over Company C

Victors and Hagerstown To Clash Next Week; Baker Posts 197

Company D, headed by Capt. Lester Bolinger and coached by Second Lt. Emmerson Symons, defeated Company C by the margin of six points last night on the state armory range in a .22 calibre rifle match between teams of the Eighth Battalion, of the Maryland State Guard. The final score was 916 to 910.

Through its triumph, Company D qualified to meet Company A, of Hagerstown, at the local armory next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Company A gained the right to meet the Cumberland winner by eliminating Company B, also of Hagerstown, in a recent match.

Highlighting last night's contest was the score of 197 out of a possible 200 turned in by Pfc. Robert V. Baker, of Company C. This score is the highest turned in by an Eighth Battalion shooter this season. Pfc. George Weatherholtz, of Company D, posted a 196, the second high score credited to an individual in the battalion.

Judges for last night's match were Maj. C. O. Diehl, First Lt. J. R. R. Black and First Lt. H. F. Johnston, all of Hagerstown. Lt. Robert C. Diehl, of the United States Army, son of Maj. Diehl, was in charge of firing.

Members of the winning team are Sgt. Carl Robinette, Cpl. Ray Leighty, Cpl. Raymond White, Cpl. John Ernest and Pfc. George Weatherholtz with Pfc. Hollie Arthur as alternate.

Company C's team captained by Cpl. Peter C. McFarland and coached by Sgt. William D. Wolford comprised First Sgt. Robert J. Herstine, Sgt. James N. Gilford, Cpl. Albert J. Clark, Pfc. Robert V. Baker and Pfc. Everett G. Swaner with Sgt. Charles W. Smith as alternate.

The scores:

COMPANY D				
Leighty	43	49	50	49—191
Ernest	38	40	47	35—158
Weatherholtz	48	49	50	49—196
White	43	50	48	44—185
Robinette	41	48	49	48—186
Total				916
COMPANY C				
Herstine	44	48	50	48—190
Swaner	44	42	48	43—177
Clark	38	47	46	34—165
Gilford	45	42	49	45—181
Baker	49	49	50	49—197
Total				910

Beechnuts Score Win in "Y" Loop

YMCA NUT LEAGUE

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Peanuts	2	0	1.000
Beechnuts	2	0	1.000
Walnuts	1	1	.500
Coconuts	1	1	.500
Mixed Nuts	0	2	.000
Doughnuts	0	2	.000

GAMES NEXT WEDNESDAY
Doughnuts vs. Mixed Nuts (4)
Beechnuts vs. Peanuts (4:20)
Walnuts vs. Coconuts (4:40)

The Peanuts and Beechnuts remained tied for first place in the Central YMCA's Junior "A" Nut Basketball League by marking up their second victories yesterday on the "Y" court.

With Dewey Lewis setting the pace with nine points, the Peanuts walloped the Mixed Nuts by the score of 21 to 7 while the Beechnuts took the measure of the Walnuts, 15 to 6. James Kilroy was high point scorer for the winners with eight tallies.

In the closest game of the afternoon, the Coconuts emerged triumphant over the Doughnuts by the score of 15 to 14. Heinrich paced the winners with eight points while Hillegas scored seven for the vanquished quintett. The lineups:

MIXED NUTS	G.	F.	Pts.
Harper, f	0	2-2	2
DeCoux, f	1	1-4	5
Swede, c	0	0-1	0
Blank, g	0	0-0	0
Blank, g	0	0-0	0
Totals	1	5-8	7
PEANUTS	**G.**	**F.**	**Pts.**
Burke, f	1	0-0	2
Lewis, f	4	1-1	9
Andrews, c	0	0-0	0
Miller, g	3	0-0	6
Crosser, g	2	0-0	4
Totals	10	1-1	21
DOUGHNUTS	**G.**	**F.**	**Pts.**
Hillegas, f	2	3-8	7
Naugle, f	1	1-1	3
Deter, c	0	0-2	0
Huffman, g	2	0-1	4
Twigg, g	0	0-0	0
Totals	5	4-10	14
COCONUTS	**G.**	**F.**	**Pts.**
E. Haines, f	3	0-0	6
T. Keech, f	0	0-0	0
P. Kerns, c	0	1-1	1
D. Layman, g	0	0-0	0
Heinrich, g	4	0-0	8
O'Rourke, sub	0	0-0	0
Totals	7	1-1	15
BEECHNUTS	**G.**	**F.**	**Pts.**
Kilroy, f	4	0-0	8
Bopp, f	0	0-0	0
Lookabaugh, c	2	1-2	5
Leyh, g	1	0-0	2
Bear, g	0	0-0	0
Landis, sub	0	0-1	0
Geatz, sub	0	0-0	0
Totals	7	1-3	15
WALNUTS	**G.**	**F.**	**Pts.**
Everstine, f	0	1-3	1
Blunk, f	0	0-0	0
Hudak, c	1	0-0	2
Hoelzer, g	1	0-0	2
Rice, g	0	1-2	1
Millenson, sub	0	0-1	0
Totals	2	2-7	6

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Bosox Obtain Jim Bagby In Trade with Indians

Cleveland Gets Johnson and $5,000; Phillies Buy Skeeter Newsome for Reported $15,000

By SID FEDER

CHICAGO, Dec. 12 (AP) — Baseball's big leagues and Commissioner A. B. (Happy) Chandler apparently agreed today to bury the hatchet—and not in each other —and wound up their winter meetings by approving "unlimited" night baseball for 1946.

While the moguls were smoking the peace pipe with Chandler behind locked doors, the dullest ivory trading market in years perked up around the headquarters hotel lobby just about enough to keep the franchise. The Cleveland Indians traded temperamental Jim Bagby to the Boston Red Sox for slim Lefty Vic Johnson and $5,000 in cash, and it was generally reported that come next season, the 1943 St. Louis Cardinal field captain and infielder, Jimmy Brown, will be wearing a Pittsburgh uniform.

Phils Purchase Newsome

The Phillies closed the dealing by purchasing veteran shortstop Skeeter Newsome from the Red Sox for a reported $15,000.

The talk was the Brown-to-Pittsburgh sale would be announced later. This would give the two-week major and minor get-togethers, which were supposed to have come up with a great post-war bargain basement rush of ivory business, a total of exactly five deals. In the only two previous transactions, the Phillies bought Pitcher Johnny Humphries fro mthe Chicago White Sox and First-Sacker Frank (Buck) McCormick from Cincinnati.

Actually, the recently widening breach between Chandler and some baseball men closed so sharply, that the ex-senator was voted at least one "victory" during the final three hour session, in which his vote decided the "sky is the limit" night baseball schedule for next year.

The "win" came in the controversial plans for baseball's far-flung $50,000 post-war promotion program, aimed particularly at stimulating interest in amateur ball. The minors last week approved the recommendations of thep romotion committee, whereby the promotion foundation would be directed apart from "any other office" in organized baseball. A proposal to which Chandler objected strenuously.

Today, at the major league conclave, the committee agreed to with draw its plan and continue working on the program with the commissioner and "interested amateur organizations." The group will meet with the commissioner at his office and will present new plans to the February meetings.

Most of the controversy of the session centered around night baseball and what to do about the signing of high school players. The magnates, changing the proposal approved by the minors, decided no high-school students, whether he still is in school or not, can be signed or negotiated with until after his class graduates from high school, unless he has been out of school a full year. In that case, if the player has the consent of his parents, he must apply to the commissioner for a spot in organized baseball, and the commissioner was given the power to investigate him and decide on his merits, and if he is "okayed," it will be "open season" for all clubs to do business with him.

Legion Program Approved

The magnates also granted their annual $20,000 to the American Legion junior baseball program, tabled the minors' proposal for elimination of all player bonuses and extended the major-minor agreement for one year, with the addition of the amendment taking from the commissioner the authority to declare baseball legislation "detriminal" to the game.

The club-owners pointed out very carefully that this was not taking any power from Chandler, since it had been written into the major league agreement a year ago, before the Kentuckian was named commissioner.

However, it goes along with the apparent move the club owners started after the death of Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis in November 1944 — never again to give any commissioner the autocratic power Landis held over them.

Temple Tops Bainbridge

BAINBRIDGE, Md., Dec. 12. (AP)—The Bainbridge Naval Training Center quintet received its first defeat of the season tonight at the hands of the Temple university squad of Philadelphia, 57-56.

It was a close and fast game, with the navy team leading the scoring until the last six minutes of play. The winning basket was made in the last two seconds by Ed Lerner, of Temple.

High scorer for the evening was Bainbridge's Bob Metcalf with sixteen points. Temple's Jerry Rullo was second with fourteen points.

TRADED TO BOSOX

JIM BAGBY, JR., temperamental pitcher of the Cleveland Indians was traded yesterday to the Boston Red Sox for Vic Johnson, slim southpaw, and $5,000 in cash. In another deal swung at the major leagues' meeting in Chicago, the Phillies purchased Shortstop Skeeter Newsome from the Red Sox for $15,000.

Gilmore Is Star As Parsons Wins

PARSONS, W. Va., Dec. 12. — Paced by "Reggie" Gilmore, sharp-shooting center, who hit the "iron doughnut" for twelve field goals and a total of twenty-five points, Coach Homer Brook's Parsons high school Panthers defeated Bayard high school's floormen here tonight to the tune of 52 to 26.

The game was moved ahead from Friday due to the flu epidemic which has brought about the closing of schools in Tucker county on Thursday and Friday.

Lefty Roy trailed Gilmore by the scoring race by ringing up fifteen tallies, including seven double-deckers. Faltz was Bayard's leading scorer with nine points to his credit.

Parsons held the upper hand from start to finish, the quarter scores being 11-6, 24-10 and 39-19. The lineups:

PARSONS	G.	F.	Pts.
L. Roy, f	7	1-2	15
Phillips, f	1	1-2	3
R. Gilmore, c	12	1-3	25
G. Gilmore, g	1	2-3	4
D. Roy, g	1	1-1	3
Gable, sub	1	0-0	2
Totals	23	6-11	52
BAYARD	**G.**	**F.**	**Pts.**
Renn, f	0	0-0	0
Gaither, f	2	2-3	6
Grady, c	2	1-5	5
James, g	1	0-1	2
Bomboy, g	1	2-2	4
Faltz, sub	3	3-6	9
Totals	9	8-17	26

Non-scoring substitutes: Parsons—Keller, Blackburn, Constable, Oliver. Bayard—Blizzard, Shaffer.
Referee—Joe Gilmore.

Navy Names Whitmire

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 12. (AP)—The Naval Academy announced today the appointment of Midshipman captain—bridge commander—for the winter team, from December 15 to March 15.

Whitmire, All-America football tackle at Navy in 1944, and an Aalabama university football star before entering the academy, was ineligible for the 1945 Navy eleven because he had played four years of varsity intercollegiate football.

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Race Commission Defers Decision In Doping Cases

Trainers Deny Knowledge of How Morphine Was Given to Horses

By JOHN F. CHANDLER

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12 (AP) — The Maryland Racing Commission deferred tonight for at least one week a decision in the cases of trainers involved in charges of alleged stimulation of race horses at Pimlico after hearing final evidence in two cases.

Three other cases were heard earlier this week.

Heard today were the cases of Calvin O. Ferguson, trainer for Frederick W. Page, of Silver Spring, Md., and Vernon S. McClintock, owner and trainer from Winchester, Va.

Both vigorously denied knowledge of how morphine could have been administered to their horses, which won races here November 19, and McClintock testified that "an element has gotten into racing in the last few years that doesn't belong there." The owner said he believed this was a "gambling group."

McClintock owns Pilate's Dream which paid $174 in winning the second race that day, while Page's Bully Gusher — which he bought for $175 — paid off at $77.60 by capturing the seventh race.

Earlier in the day, counsel for E. A. Christmas, trainer of W. L. Brann's Stable, unsuccessfully sought to have the commission invite two officials of the New York Racing Commission to testify when hearings for Christmas and two other trainers are resumed next week.

J. Purdon Wright, one of Christmas's attorneys, said that chemist Charles E. Morgan, of New York and Dr. James G. Catlet, chief veterinarian of the New York body, would testify if invited by the Maryland officials. In rejecting the defense offer, Maryland commissioners said, however, that they would accept any written testimony the men might offer.

Tests of saliva samples from Maryland tracks were conducted in Morgan's office until November 14, when Maryland university chemists assumed the duties.

12-County Deer Kill In West Virginia Is 1,443 for This Year

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Dec. 12. (AP)—Although the kill was below the 1944 total in several areas, reports submitted to the conservation commission today showed an overall increase in bucks slain in twelve West Virginia counties during the 1945 hunt.

Game Technician W. R. Degarmo said the totals from the twelve of the twenty-four counties in which the animals were legal game last week were subject to revision.

The twelve-county kill was 1,443 against 1,304 in the same areas in 1944 when 2,051 bucks were brought down in the state.

Art Lewis Named Washington-Lee Football Coach

LEXINGTON, Va., Dec. 12—(AP)—Art Lewis, former tackle with the New York Giants and coach of the Cleveland Rams, has been appointed head coach at Washington and Lee university, it was announced here today by R. A. Smith, director of athletics.

His appointment marks the return to football of the Generals, absent from state and southern conference play since 1942.

Lewis, 34, came to Washington and Lee on January 1, 1942, as line coach and served through the spring training that year under Head Coach Riley Smith, who is not returning to football at the institution. Along with Smith he was commissioned in the navy in June of that year and was discharged a month ago with the rank of lieutenant commander after serving at Pensacola, New Orleans and St. Mary's Pre-Flight school.

He is a native of Carolton, Ohio, and played at Ohio university in 1932. He played professional football with the New York Giants in 1936; coached Ohio Wesleyan the following year, and coached and played with the Cleveland Rams in 1938. The following year he played and coached the Rams and for the next two years was line coach and chief scout.

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Symons, f	0	2-4	2
Lamberson, f	1	1-2	3
Metz, c	2	2-4	6
Green, g	1	1-2	3
Warnick, g	6	0-0	12
Totals	10	6-12	26

Referee—White.

St. John's Beats Utah

NEW YORK, Dec. 12. (AP) — St. John's rallied in the closing minutes to tie an underdog Utah five tonight and force the game into overtime, then nosed out the westerners 46-45 in the extra period. Capacity crowd of 18,000 fans watched this opening game of tonight's basketball doubleheader at Madison Square Garden.

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LaSalle Cagers Will Open Season Sunday

Alumni Will Test Newly Uniformed Explorer Quint

Game Scheduled for 3 p. m.; LaSalle Squad Is Cut to 15 Players

Sporting new uniforms, the 1945-46 edition of LaSalle high school basketball teams, coached by William Vincent Keegan, will launch its campaign on Sunday afternoon when it does battle with the Alumni on SS. Peter and Paul court, Fayette street, at 3 o'clock, Brother Gregory, director of athletics, announced last evening.

The graduate quintet will be headed by Eddie Gunning, of the West Virginia University varsity team and William "Shad" Hunt, who starred with Explorer quints in recent seasons. Ray Shaffer, "Penny" Shaffer and other former LaSalle players should make the Alumni a tough opening assignment for Keegan's warriors.

Squad Cut to Fifteen

Coach Keegan yesterday announced that his squad has been cut to fifteen players, only five of whom saw service in past years. Jack Steiner is the veteran of the squad with three years' experience. Approximately fifty boys came out for basketball this season and the squad has been cut down after several weeks of daily workouts at the west side gymnasium.

Clifton Van Roby has been named to referee Sunday's game.

Brother Gregory said that the new uniforms to be worn by the Explorers consist of blue satin trunks set off by gold braid, blue rayon jerseys with the name of the school lettered in gold across the front slant style. The jackets are highly polished blue satin trimmed in gold and the players will wear gold knee pads. The jerseys will carry three inch numerals on front and four inch numbers on the back. The numbers run from two to seventeen.

Officials Are Selected

Brother Gregory also announced that "Eck" Miers and Van Roby will officiate at the LaSalle-Fort Hill game at SS. Peter and Paul court January 11 and the return contest at Fort Hill, February 8. Mel Henry and Van Roby will do the officiating in both LaSalle-Allegany games—the first at LaSalle, February 1, and the second at Allegany on March 1.

Here's LaSalle's squad for the approaching floor campaign:

Player	Class	Age
Robert Snyder	Junior	17
William Brannon	Senior	17
Robert Vanderhout	Junior	16
James Delaney	Junior	16
Joseph Dorsey	Senior	17
Robert Mattingly	Senior	17
Thomas Cloonan	Junior	16
John Steiner	Senior	18
Harry Hart	Junior	16
Thomas Carroll	Senior	17
William Kelly	Senior	16
Richard Karlowa	Senior	17
George Martin	Junior	16
James Collins	Sophomore	15
John Stickley	Junior	16

Steiner has been on the squad three years, Hart, two years, and Cloonan, Carroll and Karlowa one year each.

Kentucky Seeks Best Coach Money Can Buy

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 12. (AP)—The rumor bush has been picked almost clean since the University of Kentucky set out to hire "the best football coach money can buy," but the official announcement of any choice for the job was still awaited today.

Wallace Wade, Henry Franka, Jock Sutherland, John Barnhill, Frank Leahy and some others received the most prominent "mention," but from all indications, the ink that will sign the contract was still in the bottle.

Dr. H. L. Donovan, athletic-minded university president, would admit only that he was buried under an avalanche of mail—applications, suggestions and tips.

Naval Academy Lands 1946 IC4A Track Meet

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—(AP)—The 1946 IC4A track and field meet will be held at the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, May 25, officials decided today at a special meeting.

In other meetings, Col. Lawrence (Biff) Jones graduate manager of athletics at the United States Military Academy, was elected president of the Eastern Intercollegiate Gymnastic League and Al Nixon, director of athletics at New York University, was named president of the Intercollegiate Fencing Association.

Both groups decided not to hold championship competition in 1946.

BASKETBALL SCORES

COLLEGIATE

St. John's (NY) 46, Utah 45 (extra period).

Yale 65, Camp Edwards 29.

Columbia 74, Brooklyn Polytech 32.

Bucknell 43, Franklin-Marshall 32.

Villanova 56, Fordham 39.

Georgia 41, Clemson 34.

Westminster 56, Carnegie Tech 46.

Muhlenberg 55, Penn State 36.

Temple 57, Bainbridge 56.

Southern Methodist 50, Texas Tech 27.

Indiana 54, Hamline 43.

Johns Hopkins 51, Gallaudet 38.

Princeton 49, Rutgers 40.

St. Joseph's 66, Cathedral (NY) 46.

Valley Forge Hospital 58, Albright 35.

Oklahoma Aggies 49, Long Island 33.

Sport Slants

Japs Forgot One Picture

"Rip" Stresses Teamwork

Mackey's Son Joins Bucs

Watch Piedmont, 'Eck' Says

By C. V. BURNS

Discussing the part contact sports played in readying young Americans to fight a war, Edgar "Rip" Miller, Navy's line coach, who was guest speaker at the Times-News football dinner Tuesday night, declared that when the Japs "scouted" the United States for all available information prior to the stab in the back at Pearl Harbor they forgot one picture. It was the photograph of eleven American boys in a huddle.

"These kids played a rough and rugged game called football, a game that made boys strong and alert citizens," the former Notre Dame ace asserted.

"Football is not played in Japan because the Nips were of the belief that the game lacked dignity, that it encroached on freedom."

"These same kids grow up, developed teamwork and sacrificed themselves to the horrors of war. They learned the meaning of self sacrifice in team play and they were part of the teams that dropped bombs on all parts of Japan."

Miller pointed out that this picture of eleven kids in a football huddle is one of the reasons we licked Japan.

One particular point stressed by Miller was the present unsettled conditions between labor and management. "Don't let these conditions worry you because that's the way America does things. When labor and management battle it out in the open everything will be settled peaceably," the Middies' mentor assured. "That's the way way we play our games in this country."

"Spokesmen for labor and capital have played in some kind of game and since this country is grounded in teamwork everything will come out all right."

Miller stated that he had talked with officers back from the war and said it was encouraging to learn that sports had done so much toward their success. He mentioned particularly two former Navy football stars—Slade Cutter, who was a submarine commander, and "Buzz" Borries, halfback, as being among the former grid greats who had played an active part in the winning of the war. "And they're so modest and human," he added.

"Rip" asserted that in his contacts with former athletes, who had waged war on the sea and in the air against Japan and Germany, they all agreed that if it wasn't for the fact that they had engaged in competition with their fellow men they didn't think they would have done as well.

"You boys are very fortunate to live in a community as part of an organization that sponsors and encourages all competitive games," Miller told the members of the LaSalle, Allegany and Fort Hill football squads. "I hope these kind of parties are continued. They certainly will encourage the boys to play football—in spite of the reformers."

G. William "Bill" Bibby, who swears by the great horned spoon that "mountain water makes the difference," recalled that he had met the late Knute Rockne in the days of the "Seven Mules" and "Four Horsemen" and admitted that he was always partial to that great team of 1924. He has known Miller for fourteen years and introduced him as one of the "most outstanding men" he has ever met.

Lt. Col. Bibby said that when he was stationed in Belgium it was his job to see that fighter pilots got enough bullets, gas, etc.

"Most of these fellows were youngsters like you players here tonight," Bibby said. "And in their spare moments I noticed that they were out on a field kicking or throwing a football around."

The Colonel, who acted as toastmaster, at the first annual dinner, told several jokes but we thought his best one was about a Chinese, whom the GI's had tantalized by nailing his shoes to the floor and pouring flour in his bed.

After failing to get much of a rise out of the Chinese the GI's agreed to quit pulling tricks and they decided to tell him that they were stopping the funny business.

The Chinese appeared pleased but the GI's got a severe jolt when the victim countered with:

"Then I no spittee in your coffee any more."

Pittsburgh Pirates' Scout Leo Mackey is a proud father these days because his son Lt. Al Mackey, of the army, is going to the Buccaneers' spring training camp where he will be given the "once over."

When Leo managed Cumberland's Colts in the Middle Atlantic Baseball League in 1931 and 1932, Al was a skinny little tot, who came here on numerous occasions from Grafton, Pa., to see his dad's team play.

Albert pitched for Dormont high school and Dormont in the Pittsburgh City League. He was a tall, skinny kid and weighed about 142 pounds when the Army tapped him about four years ago. He weighs 184 pounds now and is eligible for discharge from the service.

Young Mackey had a powerhouse fast ball with 142 pounds behind him four years ago and it stands to reason the extra forty pounds he's tacked on should make him throw harder.

"I don't expect Al to stick with the Pirates," his dad says. "He'll probably be sent to a minor league team but I know he's smarter than he was four years ago. He'd better be."

A boxing fan has recommended

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Company D Rifle Team Is Winner Over Company C

Victors and Hagerstown To Clash Next Week; Baker Posts 197

Company D, headed by Capt. Lester Bolinger and coached by Second Lt. Emmerson Symons, defeated Company C by the margin of six points last night on the state armory range in a .22 calibre rifle match between teams of the Eighth Battalion, of the Maryland State Guard. The final score was 916 to 910.

Through its triumph, Company D qualified to meet Company A, of Hagerstown, at the local armory next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Company A gained the right to meet the Cumberland winner by eliminating Company B, also of Hagerstown, in a recent match.

Highlighting last night's contest was the score of 197 out of a possible 200 turned in by Pfc. Robert V. Baker, of Company C. This score is the highest turned in by an Eighth Battalion shooter this season. Pfc. George Weatherholtz, of Company D, posted a 196, the second high score credited to an individual in the battalion.

Judges for last night's match were Maj. C. O. Diehl, First Lt. J. R. R. Black and First Lt. H. F. Johnston, all of Hagerstown. Lt. Robert C. Diehl, of the United States Army, son of Maj. Diehl, was in charge of firing.

Members of the winning team are Sgt. Carl Robinette, Cpl. Ray Leighty, Cpl. Raymond White, Cpl. John Ernest and Pfc. George Weatherholtz with Pfc. Hollie Arthur as alternate.

Company C's team captained by Cpl. Peter C. McFarland and coached by Sgt. William D. Wolford comprised First Sgt. Robert J. Herstine, Sgt. James N. Gilford, Cpl. Albert J. Clark, Pfc. Robert V. Baker and Pfc. Everett G. Swaner with Sgt. Charles W. Smith as alternate.

The scores:

COMPANY D

Leighty	47	49	50	49—191
Ernest	35	40	47	25—158
Weatherholtz	48	49	50	49—196
White	43	50	48	44—185
Robinette	41	48	49	48—186
Total				916

COMPANY C

Herstine	44	48	50	48—190
Swaner	44	42	48	43—177
Clark	38	47	46	34—165
Gilford	45	42	49	45—181
Baker	49	49	50	49—197
Total				910

Beechnuts Score Win in "Y" Loop

YMCA NUT LEAGUE

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Peanuts	2	0	1.000
Beechnuts	2	0	1.000
Walnuts	1	1	.500
Coconuts	1	1	.500
Mixed Nuts	0	2	.000
Doughnuts	0	2	.000

GAMES NEXT WEDNESDAY

Doughnuts vs. Mixed Nuts (4)

Beechnuts vs. Peanuts (4:20)

Walnuts vs. Coconuts (4:40)

The Peanuts and Beechnuts remained tied for first place in the Central YMCA's Junior "A" Nut Basketball League by marking up their second victories yesterday on the "Y" court.

With Dewey Lewis setting the pace with nine points, the Peanuts walloped the Mixed Nuts by the score of 21 to 7 while the Beechnuts took the measure of the Walnuts, 15 to 6. James Kilroy was high point scorer for the winners with eight tallies.

In the closest game of the afternoon, the Coconuts emerged triumphant over the Doughnuts by the score of 15 to 14. Heinrich paced the winners with eight points while Hillegas scored seven for the vanquished quintett. The lineups:

MIXED NUTS	G.	F.	Pts.
Harper, f	0	2-2	2
DeCroux, f	1	3-4	5
Swede, c	0	0-1	0
Blank, g	0	0-0	0
Blank, g	0	0-0	0
Totals	1	5-8	7

PEANUTS	G.	F.	Pts.
Burke, f	1	0-0	2
Lewis, f	4	1-1	9
Andrews, c	0	0-0	0
Miller, g	3	0-0	6
Crosser, g	2	0-0	4
Totals	10	1-1	21

DOUGHNUTS	G.	F.	Pts.
Hillegas, f	3	1-6	7
Naugle, f	1	1-1	3
Deter, c	0	0-2	0
Huffman, g	2	0-1	4
Twigg, g	0	0-0	0
Totals	5	4-10	14

COCONUTS	G.	F.	Pts.
E. Haines, f	3	0-0	6
T. Keech, f	0	0-0	0
F. Kerns, c	0	1-1	1
D. Layman, g	0	0-0	0
Heinrich, g	4	0-0	8
O'Rourke, sub	0	0-0	0
Totals	7	1-1	15

BEECHNUTS	G.	F.	Pts.
Kilroy, f	4	0-0	8
Bopp, f	0	0-0	0
Lookabaugh, c	2	1-2	5
Leyh, g	1	0-0	2
Bean, g	0	0-0	0
Landis, sub	0	0-1	0
Geatz, sub	0	0-0	0
Totals	7	1-3	15

WALNUTS	G.	F.	Pts.
Everstine, f	0	1-3	1
Blunk, f	0	0-0	0
Hudak, c	1	0-0	2
Hoelzer, g	1	0-0	2
Rice, g	0	1-2	1
Millenson, sub	0	0-1	0
Totals	2	2-7	6

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Bosox Obtain Jim Bagby In Trade with Indians

Cleveland Gets Johnson and $5,000; Phillies Buy Skeeter Newsome for Reported $15,000

By SID FEDER

CHICAGO, Dec. 12 (AP) — Baseball's big leagues and Commissioner A. B. (Happy) Chandler apparently agreed today to bury the hatchet—and not in each other—and wound up their winter meetings by approving "unlimited" night baseball for 1946.

While the moguls were smoking the peace pipe with Chandler behind locked doors, the dullest ivory trading market in years perked up around the headquarters hotel lobby just about enough to keep the franchise. The Cleveland Indians traded temperamental Jim Bagby to the Boston Red Sox for slim Lefty Vic Johnson and $5,000 in cash, and it was generally reported that come next season, the 1943 St. Louis Cardinal field captain and infielder, Jimmy Brown, will be wearing a Pittsburgh uniform.

Phils Purchase Newsome

The Phillies closed the dealing by purchasing veteran shortstop Skeeter Newsome from the Red Sox for a reported $15,000.

The talk was the Brown-to-Pittsburgh sale would be announced later. This would give the two-week major and minor get-togethers, which were supposed to have come up with a great post-war bargain basement rush of ivory business, a total of exactly five deals. In the only two previous transactions, the Phillies bought Pitcher Johnny Humphries fro mthe Chicago White Sox and First-Sacker Frank (Buck) McCormick from Cincinnati.

Actually, the recently widening breach between Chandler and some baseball men closed so sharply, that the ex-senator was voted at least one "victory" during the final three hour session, in which his vote decided the "sky is the limit" night baseball schedule for next year.

The "win" came in the controversial plans for baseball's far-flung $50,000 post-war promotion program, aimed particularly at stimulating interest in amateur ball. The minors last week approved the recommendations of thep romotion committee, whereby the promotion foundation would be directed apart from "any other office" in organized baseball. A proposal to which Chandler objected strenuously.

Today, at the major league conclave, the committee agreed to with draw its plan and continue working on the program with the commissioner and "interested amateur organizations." The group will meet with the commissioner at his office and will present new plans to the February meetings.

Most of the controversy of the session centered around night baseball and what to do about the signing of high school players. The magnates, changing the proposal approved by the minors, decided no high-school students, whether he still is in school or not, can be signed or negotiated with until after his class graduates from high school, unless he has been out of school a full year. In that case, if the player has the consent of his parents, he must apply to the commissioner for a spot in organized baseball, and the commissioner was given the power to investigate him and decide on his merits, and if he is "okayed," it will be "open season" for all clubs to do business with him.

Legion Program Approved

The magnates also granted their annual $20,000 to the American Legion junior baseball program, tabled the minors' proposal for elimination of all player bonuses and extended the major-minor agreement for one year, with the addition of the amendment taking from the commissioner the authority to declare baseball legislation "detriminal" to the game.

The club-owners pointed out very carefully that this was not taking any power from Chandler, since it had been written into the major league agreement a year ago, before the Kentuckian was named commissioner.

However, it goes along with the apparent move the club owners started after the death of Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis in November 1944 — never again to give any commissioner the autocratic power Landis held over them.

Temple Tops Bainbridge

BAINBRIDGE, Md., Dec. 12. (AP)—The Bainbridge Naval Training Center quintet received its first defeat of the season tonight at the hands of the Temple university squad of Philadelphia, 57-56.

It was a close and fast game, with the navy team leading the scoring until the last six minutes of play. The winning basket was made in the last two seconds by Ed Lerner, of Temple.

High scorer for the evening was Bainbridge's Bob Metcalf with sixteen points. Temple's Jerry Rullo was second with fourteen points.

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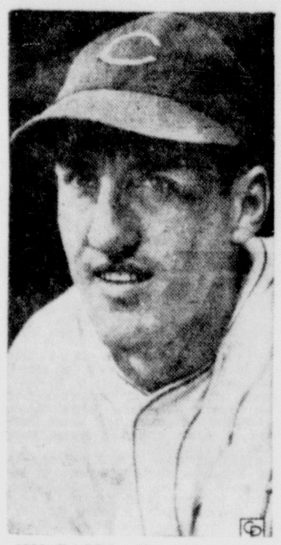

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Gilmore Is Star As Parsons Wins

PARSONS, W. Va., Dec. 12. — Paced by "Reggie" Gilmore, sharp-shooting center, who hit the "iron doughnut" for twelve field goals and a total of twenty-five points, Coach Homer Brook's Parsons high school Panthers defeated Bayard high school's floormen here tonight to the tune of 52 to 26.

The game was moved ahead from Friday due to the flu epidemic which has brought about the closing of schools in Tucker county on Thursday and Friday.

Lefty Roy trailed Gilmore by the scoring race by ringing up fifteen tallies, including seven double-deckers. Faltz was Bayard's leading scorer with nine points to his credit.

Parsons held the upper hand from start to finish, the quarter scores being 11-6, 24-10 and 39-19. The lineups:

PARSONS	G.	F.	Pts.
L. Roy, f	7	1-2	15
Phillips, f	1	1-2	3
R. Gilmore, c	12	1-3	25
G. Gilmore, g	1	2-3	4
D. Roy, g	1	1-1	3
Gable, sub	1	0-0	2
Totals	23	6-11	52

BAYARD	G.	F.	Pts.
Renn, f	0	0-0	0
Gaither, f	2	2-3	6
Grady, c	2	1-5	5
James, g	1	0-1	2
Bomboy, g	1	2-2	4
Faltz, sub	3	3-6	9
Totals	9	8-17	26

Non-scoring substitutes: Parsons—Keller, Blackburn, Constable, Oliver. Bayard—Blizzard, Shaffer.

Referee—Joe Gilmore.

Navy Names Whitmire

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 12. (AP)—The Naval Academy announced today the appointment of Midshipman captain—bridge commander—for the winter team, from December 15 to March 15.

Whitmire, All-America football tackle at Navy in 1944, and an Aalabama university football star before entering the academy, was ineligible for the 1945 Navy eleven because he had played four years of varsity intercollegiate football.

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Race Commission Defers Decision In Doping Cases

Trainers Deny Knowledge of How Morphine Was Given to Horses

By JOHN F. CHANDLER

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12 (AP) — The Maryland Racing Commission deferred tonight for at least one week a decision in the cases of trainers involved in charges of alleged stimulation of race horses at Pimlico after hearing final evidence in two cases.

Three other cases were heard earlier this week.

Heard today were the cases of Calvin O. Ferguson, trainer for Frederick W. Page, of Silver Spring, Md., and Vernon S. McClintock, owner and trainer from Winchester, Va.

Both vigorously denied knowledge of how morphine could have been administered to their horses, which won races here November 19, and McClintock testified that "an element has gotten into racing in the last few years that doesn't belong there." The owner said he believed this was a "gambling group."

McClintock owns Pilate's Dream which paid $174 in winning the second race that day, while Page's Bully Gusher — which he bought for $175 — paid off at $77.60 by capturing the seventh race.

Earlier in the day, counsel for E. A. Christmas, trainer of W. L. Brann's Stable, unsuccessfully sought to have the commission invite two officials of the New York Racing Commission to testify when hearings for Christmas and two other trainers are resumed next week.

J. Purdon Wright, one of Christmas's attorneys, said that chemist Charles E. Morgan, of New York and Dr. James G. Catlet, chief veterinarian of the New York body, would testify if invited by the Maryland officials. In rejecting the defense offer, Maryland commissioners said, however, that they would accept any written testimony the men might offer.

Tests of saliva samples from Maryland tracks were conducted in Morgan's office until November 14, when Maryland university chemists assumed the duties.

12-County Deer Kill In West Virginia Is 1,443 for This Year

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Dec. 12. (AP)—Although the kill was below the 1944 total in several areas, reports submitted to the conservation commission today showed an overall increase in bucks slain in twelve West Virginia counties during the 1945 hunt.

Game Technician W. R. Degarmo said the totals from the twelve of the twenty-four counties in which the animals were legal game last week were subject to revision.

The twelve-county kill was 1,443 against 1,304 in the same areas in 1944 when 2,051 bucks were brought down in the state.

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Symons, f	0	3-4	7
Lamberson, f	1	1-2	3
Metz, c	2	2-4	6
Green, g	1	1-2	3
Warnick, g	6	0-6	12
Totals	10	8-12	26

Referee—White.

St. John's Beats Utah

NEW YORK, Dec. 12. (AP) — St. John's rallied in the closing minutes to tie an underdog Utah five tonight and force the game into overtime, then nosed out the westeners 46-45 in the extra period. Capacity crowd of 18,000 fans watched this opening game of tonight's basketball doubleheader at Madison Square Garden.

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DAILY DOUBLE — Wishihadagal and Liberation paid $561.20.

FAIR GROUNDS—CLOUDY AND FAST

1—La La, R. Bauer 7.40, 4.80, 4.80; Wow, D. Adams 4, 3.20; Old Bet, A. Bassett 9.80; time 114 4-5.

2—Zito, N. Jemas 5.20, 3.60, 3.20; Lady's Orphan, E. Guerin 6.20, 4.60; First Command, D. Adams 4.20; time 114.

3—High Baggage, C. LeBlanc 7.80, 4.60, 3.60; Swell Kid, N. Jemas 6.40, 4.60; Van Or, H. Wallace 4.60; time 211.

4—Shadow Proof, H. Wallace 7.80, 2.40, 2.60; Barry M., E. Guerin 2.40, 2.40; Judge Davel, D. Adams 3.40; time 114 1-5.

5—Bill G., E. Guerin 6.40, 3.80, 3.20; Play Grier, W. L. Johnson 5.80, 3.80; Old Silk, D. Adams 3.40; time 112 3-5.

6—Passageway, A. Bassett 7, 4.60, 3.60; f-High Peak, L. Stroud 12, 5.40; Umbriago, C. LeBlanc 3.40; time 113 4-5.

f-field.

7—Ashbysburg, C. LeBlanc 6.20, 3.60, 3; Vencell, A. Fay 20, 7; Dr. Bones, R. Camp 3.20; time 130.

DAILY DOUBLE—La La and Zito paid $27.80.

—The booby bird is such a booby that it will allow men to approach and club it to death.

AS HORSE TRAINERS GET DOPING CHARGE HEARINGS

PROBE INTO THE ALLEGED DOPING of winners at Pimlico race track at Pimlico, Md., continues with five trainers being given hearings on the charges. Shown during the hearing before the Maryland racing commission are (1) C. Sutphin; (2) E. A. Christmas; (3) A. A. Hewett, lawyer for the trainers; (4) C. O. Ferguson, and (5) R. F. Curran.

Race Entries Selections, Results, Scratches

Charles Town Entries

FIRST POST 1 PES

1—$800, allowances, 2, about 4½ f.

xCarsan	107	Spring On	115
Grand Drive	112	Wisette	112
Kitty Klits	112	Late Time	112
Gold Tag	115	Mis Foster	112
Happy Dream	112	xPrince Favor	110
M. Longeine	112	xRippon Moose	110
Janets Mack	115	Hot Pole	112

2—$700, claiming, 4 and up, about 4½ f.

xRondo	109	Bonnie Ina	114
Navigation	121	xSabrate	109
xCircus Wings	109	Fourth Arm	117
Boy Larkmead	116	xSorgho	116
xBad Actor	112	Pallland	119
xInterrupt	109	xTalent Scout	112
Brooke Argo	117	Alimony	114

3—$600, claiming, 3 and up, 6½ f.

Prison Ship	116	xBugler	111
xLuther B.	112	Tragedienne	110
xOld Harry	111	Chillie Tang	119
Little Knight	113	Way Gold	113
Supper Show	113	Clymnalira	113
Kid O'Sullivan	116	Schley Rhoda	113
xFox Meadow	114	Boonsboro	116

4—$800, 3 and up, Charles Town course.

xPamas Time	107	xZac Pam	107
xHi Lucretia	111	Mightiest	117
Sea Pilot	115	Outside Pair	119
Flying West	114	xMint Ellan	107
Missmenow	112		

5—$800, claiming, 3 and up, about 7 f.

War Joy	118	xSoon Now	108
xGarter	110	Tracelite	116
Murray Hill	115	Lord Loudoun	116
Over Gold	116	Balloon	116
Arc Blue	113	Money Talks	113
Balmand	118	Mar Wrack	113
Crazy People	117	xMend	108

6—$1,000, 3 and up, 1 1-16 m.

xWood Buck	113	Mystery Book	115
Pencharirain	113	xComedy Player	115
Cab Sir	118	Bigmoose	112
Isle D Pine	115	Carlarlass	115
xCalabozo	113	Dizzy Heights	116
xAnn San	108		

7—$800, claiming, 3 and up, 1⅛ m.

Chance Fair	115	xFlying Scout	115
Attache	120	Maequi	114
xTyr	108	Miss Gallant	113
Indian Sun	116	xCartinga	108
Uncle Billies	116		

8—$700, claiming, 3 and up, 1⅛ m.

Rough Amos	119	Beau Insco	119
Tiresome	116	James Salkeld	119
Chalpre	119	Bardy	116
xYankee Lad	114	Molases Bill	119
xRose Barker	111	xBalloter	114

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—The proton, a unit in the nucleus of all atoms, is 1,800 times larger than an electron.

—There is one atom of heavy hydrogen in every 5,000 units of the ordinary kind.

Fair Grounds Entries

FIRST POST 2:30 PES

1—$800, claiming, 3, 6 f.

xQuatre Star	105	xMighty Arab	106
xGood For Me	108	Bright Bronze	110
Zacaphote	111	xIsa Applaud	103
xMiss Bunt	103	xNavy Relief	105
Patriotic Pat	111	xMy Donna	105
xBorder Voluble	108		

2—$800, allowances, Class E, 3 and up, 6 f., First Division

Cherriko	117	Sealane	120
xShip Jr.	106	xAmperage	106
Gay Kit	111	Sir Walter B.	111
Wise Decision	117	Over	111
Forevic	114	Head Sea	117
So Alone	105	Brushwood Boy	114
Kanopolis	111	Display Flight	111
xUhhuh	109	Taking Ways	114

3—$900, claiming, 2, 6 f.

Whiffle Away	108	Paddy D.	113
xCarry Mea	112	xMabelew	103
xExcellence	108	Fish Creek	111
Beau Sweep	117		

4—$900, Class E, 3 and up, Second Division, 6 f.

xGallant Hour	115	xAngle Bar	112
xChicona	115	Free Boy	114
Sons Style	114	xSea Convoy	109
Ed M.	117	xCinesar	121
Fred Cody	114	Greenock Image	114
xMilitary Sir	109	xStell	106
xFlaming Chance	115	xFire Kabo	115
xTop Beau	112	xAlways Flying	107
xRotate	106	Valdina Clown	117

5—$1,000, allowances, 2, 6 f.

J. L. Moore	110	Magna Ray	115
Gold Spirit	115	Blue Gyp	112
River Jack	112	Sunalf	115
xJournal	110	xBen Hur	110
Come Lately	109	Betty Queen	109
xJoyce W.	107		

6—$1,200, all ages, 1 1-16 m.

xBaby Gold	109	xLatent	109
Birth Mark	111	xTed Lewis	103
a-xCid Light	100	xVestibula	103
xPlover Brand	106	Valdivia	111
xDistant Isle	106	Cooling Spring	111
Aera	111	Son Forever	114
xRepublican	106	a-xHavaheart	109

a-M. G. Farnsworth entry.

7—$900, claiming, 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Llanero	113	Alaflag	113
Jacks Pride	115	xScouting	108
xMarco B Good	106	xSubdue	108
xMorocco Betty	112	xOzzie	115
Baby Edith	105	Glennport	115
xMy Reward	108	xHi Henry	108

8—$800, claiming, 3 and up, 1 1-16 m.

xHopefor	105	Merited	111
Three Bangs	116	xBest Suit	117
xBaron Omar	108	Praetorian	111
xChallewonder	105	Hardwrack	116
xColor Week	111	Valdina Sun	116

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Byron Nelson Declines Offer from Africa

DENTON, Tex., Dec. 12. (AP)—Byron Nelson, the nation's top money winner of golf, today said he had declined an offer from Norman Ereleigh, South Africa mining magnate, to play a series of matches in that country nevt year.

"I'd like to go but I feel travel conditions are still too uncertain," Nelson declared. "It takes too long by boat and travel by air is too uncertain. Maybe by the next year, if they still want me, I can go when travel conditions are eased."

Zale Will Fight

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 12. (AP)—Tony Zale, world's middleweight boxing king will don the gloves for the first time since being discharged from the Navy in a 10-round over-the-weight bout here Monday, January 7, Freddie Sommers, promoter, announced today.

Sommers said Zale's opponent has not yet been named.

The Gary, Ind., ring king will be 32 in May.

Gulfstream Entries

FIRST POST 1:15 PM EST

1—$1,800, claiming, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

xBeach Miss	110	Is I Is	109
Straw Stack	114	Kates Silver	106
xGreville	113	Sister Higher	110
xPatch Part	106	War Shy	110
Rare Flares	115	Bell Call	115
Busy Man	109	Bective	101
Hasty Brook	118		

2—$1,500, claiming, maidens, 3, 6 f.

Al Tran	118	xFlintmaid	110
Jonora	115	xSheila May	110
xSunny Betty	110	xFairy Time	110
Cadillac Square	118	xWings of Wrath	110
Rare Case	118	Dame York	115
xMusicale	110	xSly Manner	113
Mad Sadie	115	xTouch of Time	110
xPicks First	110	xSmooth Gallop	108

3—$1,500, allowances, 2, 6 f.

a-Witty Jean	110	Miami Moon	110
a-Bogieville	105	xBaby Barbara	105
xThomasa	105	Lepsel	115
Safety Edge	110	xMiss O'Blocky	105
Twenty Thirty	110	xHasty Blue	105
xAndrea Kay	105	xKay Gibson	110
xDella M.	110	xBienhara	113
xFox Glove	105	xMiss Brickeyes	110

a-P. Phillips and Mayfair Stable entry.

4—$1,500, claiming, 3 and up, 6 f.

Whipped Cream	112	Mist Militans	109
Bygones	117	xValdina Bright	112
xKings Count	106	Ath Liah	113
Busy Nine	113	xCyclorama	110
xHayatinty	110	Miguelito	111
xLord Win	112	Guerryton	113
xMr. Pharned	108	Which Ace	113
xWoodford Annie	107	Two Timer	116

5—$1,700, allowances, 3 and 4, 7 f.

Squadron Girl	107	xSatin Goods	107
Etate	109	Hi Marietta	113
Amici	115	Roll Shot	113
Ecollire	114	Chuck	116
Electron	116	Liberty Head	114

6—$2,000, allowances, 3 and up, 7 f.

xUmpydan	117	Kewey De	112
Grey Wing	114	Incoming	114
xW. H. Kelly	114	Valdina Craft	114
Little Sandy	114		

7—$1,700, claiming, 3 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Grenouille	113	xDog Trot	106
Boot and Spur	110	xWapan	110
xBlue Serge	117	Blue Cross	112
xLess Jacopo	110	xIron Works	105
xDon Devito	105	xThor	107
Bay Ridge	113	xSunny Jack	115
xBeggar	114		

8—$1,500, claiming, 3 and up, 1 m.

Due Sport	118	xCruiser	116
Miss Identify	115	xDancing Archie	111
xSnickelfritz	114	Goody Gumdrop	108
Early N Smart	112	xBettys Bob	111
xHazels Play	108	xWhich Cup	108
xBienco	106	Macks Miss	113
Thalel	116	xKiddies Image	108
Ebony Moon	114	Haunt Mont	118

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TODAY'S SELECTIONS

By BUCK WEAVER
The Louisville Times

GULFSTREAM—(FAST)

1—Straw Stack, Greville, War Shy.
2—Jonora, Sheila May, Rare Case.
3—Twenty Thirty, Miss Brickeyes, Miami Moon.
4—Bygones, Lord Win, Mr. Pharned.
5—Estate, Electron, Chuck.
6—W. H. Kelly, Incoming, Valdina Craft.
7—Blue Serge, Don Devito, Grenouille.
8—Miss Identify, Cruiser, Snickelfritz.

BEST BET—W. H. Kelly.

CHARLES TOWN (GOOD)

1—Wisette, Happy Dream, Grand Drive.
2—Boy Larkmead, Navigation, Circus Wings.
3—Bugler, Prison Ship, Kid O'Sullivan.
4—Sea Pilot, Missmenow, Mightiest.
5—Balmand, People, Over Gold.
6—Mystery Book, Cab Sir, Wood Buck.
7—Attache, Tyr, Indian Sun.
8—Balloter, Chalpre, Rough Amos.

BEST BET—Sea Pilot.

CONSENSUS AT GULFSTREAM
(By The Associated Press)
(FAST TRACK)

1—Rare Flares, Greyville, Kate's Silver.
2—Sly Manner, Sheila May, Wings of Wrath.
3—Twenty Thirty, Della M., Thomasa.
4—Woodford Annie, Valdina Bright, Lord Win.
5—Electron, Hi Marietta, Chuck.
6—Kewey Dee, Umpydan, W. H. Kelly.
7—Sunny Jack, Thor, Blue Serge.
8—Thalel, Miss Identify, Mack's Miss.

BEST BET—Twenty Thirty.

FAIR GROUNDS—(FAST)

1—Zacaphote, Mighty Arab, Bright Bronze.
2—Wise Decision, Forevic, Cherriko.
3—Beau Sweep, Excellence, Whiffle Away.
4—Ed M., Fire Kabo, Top Beau.
5—Journal, Sunalf, River Jack.
6—Distant Isle, Cooling Spring, Ted Lewis.
7—Jack's Pride, Glennport, Alaflag.
8—Merited, Valdina Sun, Best Suit.

BEST BET—Journal.

YESTERDAY'S SCRATCHES

CHARLES TOWN: 1—Little Light, Circus Wings, Honeymaid, Free White, Rion Hall, Laugh And Play; 2—Rondo, Interrupt, Alseleda, Navigation, Boy Larkmead, Bugler; 3—Johns Teddy, Hiccup, Royal Display, Payable, Money Talks, Reign Supreme; 4 — Fox Meadow, Tragedienne, Bright Bobbie, Outside Pair, Over Gold, Pesky; 5—Luther B., Clymnalira, Intelligentsia, All Flo, Unheard, Pal; 7—Teddy Rolls, Rusty Pots, Constance V; 8—Allen Caid, Idle Night, Specialist, Swami, Blue Devil.

GULFSTREAM: 1 — Bective, Ambranded, Juanita M., Rare Flares; 2—Tiresome Time, Twenty Thirty, Sweet Comet, Flag Drill; 4—Billies Choice, Squadron Girl, Liberty Head, Hi Marietta; 8—Smoke Puff, Kimberly, Miss Wink, Butler.

FAIR GROUNDS: 1—Inquietus, Duchess Eryl, Magna Ray, King Kip, River Pat, Achance, Little Patty; 2—Solid Meal, Inver Fox, Yasmi; 5—Bohemia, Play Bob.

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7—Bottle Imp, F. Truschka 7, 4.10, 3.90; Bienette, J. Higley 9.70, 5.80; Noonday Sun, M. Fator 11; time 1:12.

8—Darby Dimout, R. Watson 17.50, 11.60, 5.10; Alnuldo, H. Woodhouse 12.90, 5.20; Cat Bridge, P. Roberts 2.80; time 1:45.

DAILY DOUBLE — Wishihadagal and Liberation paid $561.20.

FAIR GROUNDS—CLOUDY AND FAST

1—La La, R. Bauer 7.40, 4.80, 4.80; Wow, D. Adams 4, 3.20; Old Bet, A. Bassett 9.80; time 1:14 4-5.

2—Zito, N. Jemas 5.20, 3.60, 3.20; Lady's Orphan, E. Guerin 6.20, 4.60; First Command, D. Adams 4.20; time 1:14.

3—High Baggage, C. LeBlanc 7.80, 4.60, 3.60; Swell Kid, N. Jemas 6.40, 4.60; Van Or, H. Wallace 4.60; time 1:11.

4—Shadow Proof, H. Wallace 7.80, 2.40, 2.60; Barry M., E. Guerin 2.40, 2.40; Judge Davel, D. Adams 3.40; time 1:14 1-5.

5—Bill G., E. Guerin 6.40, 3.80, 3.20; Play Grier, W. L. Johnson 5.80, 3.80; Old Silk, D. Adams 3.40; time 1:12 3-5.

6—Passageway, A. Bassett 7, 4.60, 3.60; f-High Peak, L. Stroud 12, 5.40; Umbriago, C. LeBlanc 3.40; time 1:13 4-5.

f-field.

7—Ashbysburg, C. LeBlanc 6.20, 3.60, 3; Voncell, A. Fay 20, 7; Dr. Bones, R. Camp 3.20; time 1:50.

DAILY DOUBLE—La La and Zito paid $27.80.

—The booby bird is such a booby that it will allow men to approach and club it to death.

AS HORSE TRAINERS GET DOPING CHARGE HEARINGS

PROBE INTO THE ALLEGED DOPING of winners at Pimlico race track at Pimlico, Md., continues with five trainers being given hearings on the charges. Shown during the hearing before the Maryland racing commission are (1) C. Sutphin; (2) E. A. Christmas; (3) A. A. Hewett, lawyer for the trainers; (4) C. O. Ferguson, and (5) R. F. Curran.

Race Entries Selections, Results, Scratches

Charles Town Entries

FIRST POST 1 PES

1—$800, allowances, 2, about 4½ f.

xCarsan	107	Spring On 115
Grand Drive	112	Wisette 112
Kitty Kilts	112	Late Time 112
Gold Tag	115	Mis Foster 112
Happy Dream	112	xPrince Favor 110
M. Longeine	112	xRippon Moose 110
Janets Mack	115	Hot Pole 112

2—$700, claiming, 4 and up, about 4½ f.

xRondo	109	Bonnie Ina 114
Navigation	121	xSabrate 109
xCirqus Wings	109	Fourth Arm 117
Boy Larkmead	116	xSorgho 116
xBad Actor	112	Patland 119
xInterrupt	109	xTalent Scout 112
Brooke Argo	117	Alimony 114

3—$600, claiming, 3 and up, 6½ f.

Prison Ship	116	xBugler 111
xLuther B.	112	Tragedienne 110
xOld Harry	111	Chillie Tang 119
Little Knight	113	Way Gold 113
Supper Show	113	Clynmalira 113
Kid O'Sullivan	116	Schley Rhoda 117
xFox Meadow	114	Boonsboro 116

4—$800, 3 and up, Charles Town course.

xPamas Time	107	xZac Pam 107
xHi Lucretia	111	Mightiest 117
Sea Pilot	115	Outside Pair 119
Flying West	114	xMint Ellan 107
Missmenow	112	

5—$800, claiming, 3 and up, about 7 f.

War Joy	118	xBoon Now 108
xGartier	110	Tracelitte 116
Murray Hill	115	Lord Loudoun 116
Over Gold	116	Balloon 116
Arc Blue	113	Money Talks 113
Balmand	118	Mar Wrack 113
Crazy People	117	xMend 108

6—$1,000, 3 and up, 1 1-16 m.

xWood Block	113	Mystery Book 115
Ponchartrain	113	xComedy Player 113
Cab Sir	118	Bigmoose 112
Isle D Pine	115	Carlarlaas 115
xCalabozo	113	Dizzy Heights 116
xAnn San	108	

7—$800, claiming, 3 and up, 1⅛ m.

Chance Pair	115	xFlying Scout 115
Attache	120	Maequi 114
xTyr	108	Miss Gallant 113
Indian Sun	116	xCartinga 108
Uncle Billies	116	

8—$700, claiming, 3 and up, 1⅛ m.

Rough Amos	119	Beau Insco 119
Tiresome	116	James Salkeld 119
Chalpre	119	Bardy 116
xYankee Lad	114	Molases Bill 119
xRose Barker	111	xBalloter 114

x-AAC.

—The proton, a unit in the nucleus of all atoms, is 1,800 times larger than an electron.

—There is one atom of heavy hydrogen in every 5,000 units of the ordinary kind.

Fair Grounds Entries

FIRST POST 2:30 PES

1—$800, claiming, 3, 6 f.

xQuatre Star	105	xMighty Arab 106
xGood For Me	108	Bright Bronze 110
Zacaphote	111	xIsa Applaud 103
xMiss Bunt	103	xNavy Relief 105
Patriotic Pat	111	xMy Donna 106
xBorder Voluble	108	

2—$800, allowances, Class E, 3 and up, 6 f., First Division.

Cherriko	117	Sealane 120
xShip Jr.	106	xAmperage 106
Gay Kit	111	Sir Walter B. 111
Wise Decision	117	Over 111
Forevic	114	Head Sea 117
So Alone	105	Brushwood Boy 114
Kanopolis	111	Display Flight 111
xUhhuh	109	Taking Ways 114

3—$900, claiming, 2, 6 f.

Whiffle Away	108	Paddy D. 113
xCarry Mea	112	xMabelew 109
xExcellence	108	Fish Creek 111
Beau Sweep	117	

4—$900, Class E, 3 and up, Second Division, 6 f.

xGallant Hour	115	xAngle Bar 112
xChicona	115	Free Boy 114
Sons Style	114	xSea Convoy 109
Ed M.	117	xCinesar 121
Fred Cody	114	Greenock Image 114
xMilitary Sir	109	xStell 106
xFlaming Chance	115	xFire Kabo 115
xTop Beau	112	xAlways Flying 103
xRotate	106	Valdina Clown 117

5—$1,000, allowances, 2, 6 f.

J. L. Moore	110	Magna Ray 115
Gold Spirit	115	Blue Gyp 112
River Jack	112	Sunalf 115
xJournal	110	xBen Hur 110
Come Lately	109	Betty Queen 109
xJoyce W.	107	

6—$1,200, all ages, 1 1-16 m.

xBaby Gold	109	xLatent 109
Birth Mark	111	xTed Lewis 103
a-xClid Light	100	xVestibula 103
xPlover Brand	106	Valdivia 111
xDistant Isle	106	Cooling Spring 111
Aera	111	Son Forever 114
xRepublican	106	a-xHavaheart 109

a-M. G. Farnsworth entry.

7—$900, claiming, 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Llanero	113	Alaflag 113
Jacks Pride	115	xScouting 108
xMarco B Good	106	xSubdue 108
xMorocco Betty	112	xOzzie 115
Baby Edith	105	Glennport 115
xMy Reward	108	xHi Henry 108

8—$800, claiming, 3 and up, 1 1-16 m.

xHopefor	105	Merited 111
Three Bangs	116	xBest Suit 117
xBaron Omar	108	Praetorian 111
xChallewonder	105	Hardwrack 116
xColor Week	111	Valdina Sun 116

x-AAC.

Byron Nelson Declines Offer from Africa

DENTON, Tex., Dec. 12. (AP)—Byron Nelson, the nation's top money winner of golf, today said he had declined an offer from Norman Ereleigh, South Africa mining magnate, to play a series of matches in that country nevt year.

"I'd like to go but I feel travel conditions are still too uncertain," Nelson declared. "It takes too long by boat and travel by air is too uncertain. Maybe by the next year, if they still want me, I can go when travel conditions are eased."

Zale Will Fight

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 12. (AP)—Tony Zale, world's middleweight boxing king will don the gloves for the first time since being discharged from the Navy in a 10-round over-the-weight bout here Monday, January 7, Freddie Sommers, promoter, announced today.

Sommers said Zale's opponent has not yet been named.

The Gary, Ind., ring king will be 32 in May.

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

By BUCK WEAVER
The Louisville Times

GULFSTREAM—(FAST)

1—Straw Stack, Greville, War Shy.
2—Jonora, Sheila May, Rare Case.
3—Twenty Thirty, Miss Brickeyes, Miami Moon.
4—Bygones, Lord Win, Mr. Pharned.
5—Estate, Electron, Chuck.
6—W. H. Kelly, Incoming, Valdina Craft.
7—Blue Serge, Don Devito, Grenouille.
8—Miss Identify, Cruiser, Shickelfritz.
BEST BET—W. H. Kelly.

CHARLES TOWN (GOOD)

1—Wisette, Happy Dream, Grand Drive.
2—Boy Larkmead, Navigation, Circus Wings.
3—Bugler, Prison Ship, Kid O'Sullivan.
4—Sea Pilot, Missmenow, Mightiest.
5—Balmand, People, Over Gold.
6—Mystery Book, Cab Sir, Wood Buck.
7—Attache, Tyr, Indian Sun.
8—Balloter, Chalpre, Rough Amos.
BEST BET—Sea Pilot.

CONSENSUS AT GULFSTREAM
(By The Associated Press)
(FAST TRACK)

1—Rare Flares, Greyville, Kate's Silver.
2—Sly Manner, Sheila May, Wings of Wrath.
3—Twenty Thirty, Delia M., Thomasa.
4—Woodford Annie, Valdina Bright, Lord Win.
5—Electron, Hi Marietta, Chuck.
6—Kewey Dee, Umpydan, W. H. Kelly.
7—Sunny Jack, Thor, Blue Serge.
8—Thalei, Miss Identify, Mack's Miss.
BEST BET—Twenty Thirty.

FAIR GROUNDS—(FAST)

1—Zacaphote, Mighty Arab, Bright Bronze.
2—Wise Decision, Forevic, Cherriko.
3—Beau Sweep, Excellence, Whiffle Away.
4—Ed M., Fire Kabo, Top Beau.
5—Journal, Sunalf, River Jack.
6—Distant Isle, Cooling Spring, Ted Lewis.
7—Jack's Pride, Glennport, Alaflag.
8—Merited, Valdina Sun, Best Suit.
BEST BET—Journal.

YESTERDAY'S SCRATCHES

CHARLES TOWN: 1—Little Light, Circus Wings, Honeymaid, Free White, Rion Hall, Laugh And Play; 2—Rondo, Interrupt, Alseleda, Navigation, Boy Larkmead, Bugler; 3—Johns, Teddy, Hiccup, Royal Display, Payable, Money Talks, Reign Supreme; 4—Fox Meadow, Tragedienne, Bright Bobbie, Outside Pair, Over Gold, Pesky; 5—Luther B., Clymnalira, Intelligentsia, All Flo, Unheard, Pal; 7—Teddy Rolls, Rusty Pots, Constance V; 8—Allen Cald, Idle Night, Specialist, Swami, Blue Devil.

GULFSTREAM: 1—Bective, Ambranded, Juanita, M., Rare Flares; 2—Tiresome Time, Twenty Thirty, Sweet Comet, Flag Drill; 4—Billies Choice, Squadron Girl, Liberty Head, Hi Marietta; 8—Smoke Puff, Kimberly, Miss Wink, Butler.

FAIR GROUNDS: 1—Inquietus, Duchess Eryl, Magna Ray, King Kip, River Pat, Achance, Little Patty; 2—Solid Meat, Inver Fox, Yasmi; 5—Bohemia, Play Bob.

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Wages and Prices Will Be Debated At Radio Forum

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD

NEW YORK, Dec. 12 (AP)—Debate over the question of wages and prices is to come up in "America's Town Meeting" hour on ABC Thursday night at 8:30. One of the speakers is to be Chester Bowles, head of OPA.

The question as specifically outlined is to be "Can We Have Higher Wages Without Higher Prices?" Joning Bowles will be Rep. Chase Going Woodhouse, of Connecticut, in upholding the affirmative side.

On the negative will be Sen. Kenneth S. Wherry, of Nebraska, and Henry Pope, Jr., industry executive.

Incidentally this is Town Meeting's four hundredth broadcast and is being presented in co-operation with the National League of Women Voters.

Adele Astaire, sister of Fred and now Lady Charles Cavendish of England, is to be guest of Danny O'Neil's song theater on CBS at 10:30. Lady Cavendish recently returned to this country from London.

Also guesting on CBS at 8 in the weekly Suspense thriller is Robert Taylor. He is billed for do "The Argyle Album," a newspaper story. . . . Red Skelton is to drop around for Dinah Shore's show on NBC at 8:30 . . . Still another guest—but not all of them by any means—is Eileen Farrell to sing with Andre Kostelanetz's music on CBS at 9.

"The Story of Music," weekly late concert on NBC at 11:30, turns its attention to the "concerto" to comprise the tenth program of the series.

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The Radio Clock

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13

Eastern Standard Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CST., 2 Hours for MST.

Changes in programs as listed are due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate

5:30—Jiuat Plain Bill, Dramatic—nbc
Cimarron Tavern Serial Story—cbs
The Jack Armstrong Serial—abc-east
Captain Midnight's Story—mbs-basic
5:45—Front Page Farrell Serial—nbc
Sparrow and The Hawk, Serial—cbs
Tennessee Jed, Drama Skit—abc-east
Hop Harrigan in Repeat—other abc
Tom Mix, a Serial Story—mbs-basic
6:00—News Report for 15 Mins.—nbc
Fifteen Minutes of News—cbs-basic
Dancing Music Orchestra—other cbs
Walter Kiernan and News—abc-east
Repeat of the Terry Serial—abc-west
Howe in Answers, Repeat—mbs-west
6:15—Echoes of Tropics, Sports—nbc
Patti Clayton Sings Some Songs—cbs
Repeat from Dick Tracy—abc-west
Repeat Superman Serial—mbs-west
6:30—Encore Appearance Concert—cbs
Jack Armstrong in Repeat—abc-west
Repeat by Capt. Midnight—mbs-west
6:45—Lowell Thomas & Newscast—nbc
World News and Commentary—cbs
Charlie Chan Adventures—abc-basic
Tennessee Jed in Repeat—abc-west
Tom Mix Serial's Repeat—mbs-west
7:00—Radio's Supper Club—nbc-basic
Fifteen Min. Sponsored Series—cbs
News Commentary & Overseas—abc
Fulton Lewis Jr. and Comment—mbs
7:15—News & Comment of World—nbc
Tenor Jack Smith Sings—cbs-basic
The Vic and Sade Sketch—other cbs
Raymond Swing and Comment—abc
Dancing Music for 15 Mins.—mbs
7:30—Bob Burns' Comedy—nbc-basic
Mr. Keen, 30 Min. Drama—cbs-basic
Dancing Music Orchestra—other cbs
The Green Hornet's Mystery—abc
Arthur Hale & Comment—mbs-east
7:45—Kaltenborn Comment—nbc-west
Inside of Sports, Bill Brandt—mbs
8:00—Geo. Burns & Gracie Allen—nbc
Suspense Mystery Drama Show—cbs
Lum and Abner Comedy Skit—abc
Raising a Husband Quiz Show—mbs
8:15—Earl Godwin in Comment—abc
8:30—Dinah Shore's Open House—nbc
The FBI in Peace and War—cbs
America Town Meeting Forum—abc
Dick Powell Mystery Drama—mbs
8:55—Five Minutes News Period—cbs
9:00—Frank Morgan Music Hall—nbc
Music from Andre Kostelanetz—cbs
Gabriel Heatter and Comment—mbs
9:15—Real Life Stories, Drama—mbs
9:30—Jack Haley's Variety—nbc-basic
Hobby Lobby by Dave Elman—cbs
Detect and Collect by a Quiz—abc
Weekly Concert from Antonini—mbs
9:55—Five Minutes News Show—abc
10:00—Abbott & Costello Comedy—nbc
Island Venture, Drama Series—cbs
Curtain Time, Dramatic Series—abc
You Make the News, Dramatic—mbs
10:30—The Rudy Vallee Variety—nbc
The Danny O'Neil Song Theater—cbs
Fantasy in Melody by Orches.—abc
Chicago's Swing's the Thing—mbs
11:00—News for 15 Minutes—nbc-basic
The Supper Club, Repeat—other nbc
News, Variety, Dance 2 h.—cbs & abc
News, Dance Band Shows 2 h.—mbs
11:15—Variety and News to 1 a.m.—nbc

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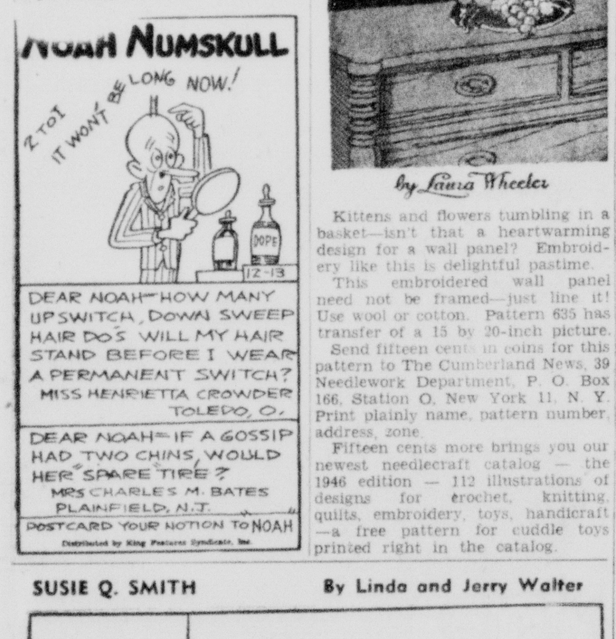

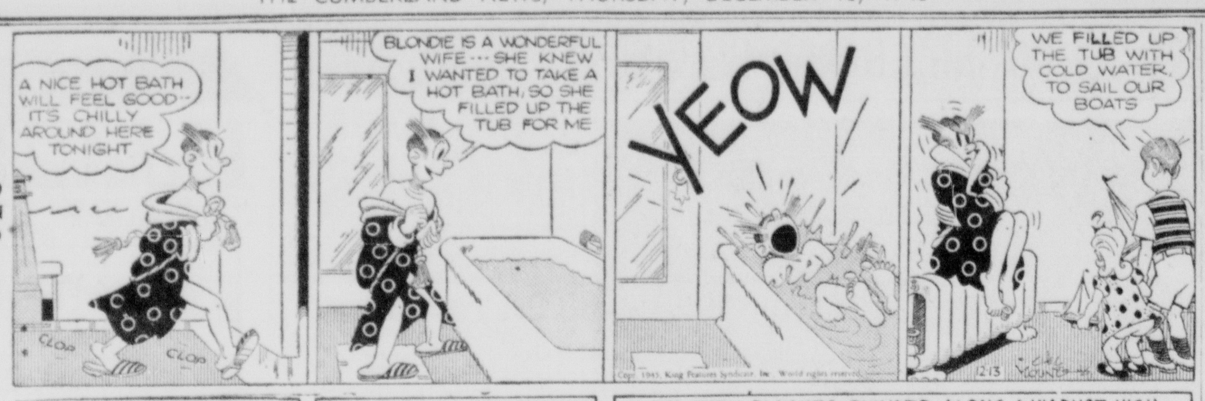

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15. Showy in dress
18. Particle
21. Mass
22. Passage for air
24. Public notice
25. Toadies to
27. Sun god
28. Religious ceremony
30. Expression
31. Pinaceous trees
32. Strain
35. Lubricate
37. Chance
38. Island off Florida
39. Mature
41. Algerian town
42. On the ocean
43. Soon after this
44. Poetic verb form

DOWN
1. Wagon groove
2. Hardened
3. Heeds
4. Seeks
5. Final
6. Damages
7. A litter of pigs
8. Belonging to thee
15. To stunt
16. Half diameters
17. Jolly boats
19. Edible rootstocks
20. Nurses (India)
23. At home
25. Capable of being fused
26. Rough lava
29. Gutter for rainwater
30. Condiment
33. A twist (Scot.)
34. Lift
36. Past part. of lie
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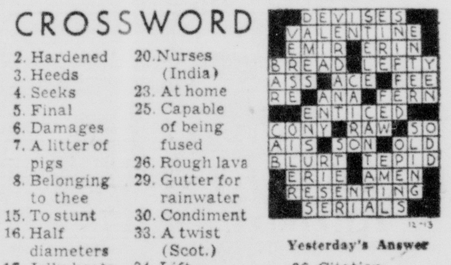

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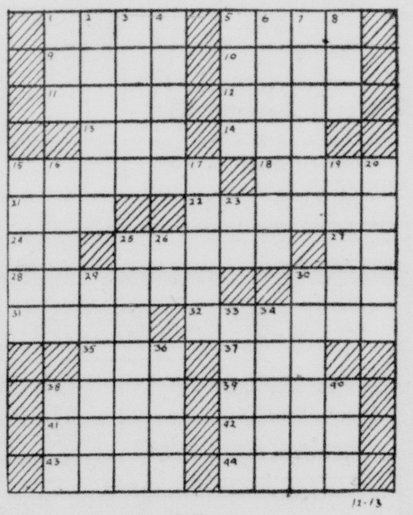

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GRIN AND BEAR IT — By Lichty

Wages and Prices Will Be Debated At Radio Forum

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD

NEW YORK, Dec. 12 (AP)—Debate over the question of wages and prices is to come up in "America's Town Meeting" hour on ABC Thursday night at 8:30. One of the speakers is to be Chester Bowles, head of OPA.

The question as specifically outlined is to be "Can We Have Higher Wages Without Higher Prices?" Joning Bowles will be Rep. Chase Going Woodhouse, of Connecticut, in upholding the affirmative side.

On the negative will be Sen. Kenneth S. Wherry, of Nebraska, and Henry Pope, Jr., industry executive.

Incidentally this is Town Meeting's four hundredth broadcast and is being presented in co-operation with the National League of Women Voters.

Adele Astaire, sister of Fred and now Lady Charles Cavendish of England, is to be guest of Danny O'Neil's song theater on CBS at 10:30. Lady Cavendish recently returned to this country from London.

Also guesting on CBS at 8 in the weekly Suspense thriller is Robert Taylor. He is billed for do "The Argyle Album," a newspaper story. . . . Red Skelton is to drop around for Dinah Shore's show on NBC at 8:30 . . . Still another guest—but not all of them by any means—is Eileen Farrell to sing with Andre Kostelanetz's music on CBS at 9.

"The Story of Music," weekly late concert on NBC at 11:30, turns its attention to the "concerto" to comprise the tenth program of the series.

—The first abrasive in sheet form was shark skin, originally used in the Twelfth century.

The Radio Clock

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13

Eastern Standard Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CST., 2 Hours for MST.

Changes in programs as listed are due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate

6:30—Just Plain Bill, Dramatic—nbc
Cimarron Tavern Serial Story—cbs
The Jack Armstrong Serial—abc-east
Captain Midnight's Story—mbs-basic
6:45—Front Page Farrell Serial—nbc
Sparrow and The Hawk, Serial—cbs
Tennessee Jed, Drama Skit—abc-east
Hop Harrigan in Repeat—other abc
Tom Mix, a Serial Story—mbs-basic
7:00—News Report for 15 Mins.—nbc
Fifteen Minutes of News—cbs-basic
Dancing Music Orchestra—other cbs
Walter Kiernan and News—abc-east
Repeat of the Terry Serial—abc-west
Howe in Answers, Repeat—mbs-west
7:15—Echoes of Tropics, Sports—nbc
Patti Clayton Sings Some Songs—cbs
Repeat from Dick Tracy—abc-west
Repeat Superman Serial—mbs-west
7:30—Encores Appearance Concert—cbs
Jack Armstrong in Repeat—abc-west
Repeat by Capt. Midnight—mbs-west
7:45—Lowell Thomas & Newscast—nbc
World News and Commentary—cbs
Charlie Chan Adventures—abc-basic
Tennessee Jed in Repeat—abc-west
Tom Mix Serial's Repeat—mbs-west
8:00—Radio's Supper Club—nbc-basic
Fifteen Min. Sponsored Series—cbs
News Commentary & Overseas—abc
Fulton Lewis Jr. and Comment—mbs
8:15—News & Comment of World—nbc
Tenor Jack Smith Sings—cbs-basic
The Vic and Sade Sketch—other cbs
Raymond Swing and Comment—abc
Dancing Music for 15 Mins.—mbs
8:30—Bob Burns' Comedy—nbc-basic
Mr. Keen, 30 Min. Drama—cbs-basic
Dancing Music Orchestra—other cbs
The Green Hornet's Mystery—abc
Arthur Hale & Comment—mbs-east
8:45—Kaltenborn Comment—nbc-west
Inside of Sports, Bill Brandt—mbs
9:00—Geo. Burns & Gracie Allen—nbc
Suspense Mystery Drama Show—cbs
Lum and Abner Comedy Skit—abc
Raising a Husband Quiz Show—mbs
9:15—Earl Godwin in Comment—abc
9:30—Dinah Shore's Open House—nbc
The FBI in Peace and War—cbs
America's Town Meeting Forum—abc
Dick Powell Mystery Drama—mbs
9:55—Five Minutes News Period—cbs
10:00—Frank Morgan Music Hall—nbc
Music from Andre Kostelanetz—cbs
Gabriel Heattter and Comment—mbs
10:15—Real Life Stories, Drama—mbs
10:30—Jack Haley's Variety—nbc-basic
Hobby Lobby by Dave Elman—cbs
Detect and Collect by a Quiz—abc
Weekly Concert from Annonini—mbs
10:55—Five Minutes News Show—abc
11:00—Abbott & Costello Comedy—nbc
Island Venture, Drama Series—cbs
Curtain Time, Dramatic Series—abc
You Make the News, Dramatic—mbs
11:30—The Rudy Vallee Variety—nbc
The Danny O'Neil Song Theater—cbs
Fantasy in Melody by Orches.—abc
Chicago's Swing's the Thing—mbs
12:00—News for 15 Minutes—nbc-basic
The Supper Club, Repeat—other nbc
News, Variety, Dance 2 h.—cbs & abc
News, Dance Band Shows 2 h.—mbs
12:15—Variety and News to 1 a.m.—nbc

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SIZES
12 - 20

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Pattern 9468 comes in sizes 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20. Size 16 suit, takes two and one-fourth yards fifty-four-inch fabric.

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EILER CHEVROLET, INC.
219 N. Mechanic Phone 143

Service On All Makes
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1941—1½-ton Chevrolet truck. Phone 1442-J after 4 P. M. 12-12-3t-N

1942 KS-5 International L.W.B. dump truck, like n . . Allen Compt n, Salisbury, Pa. 12-8-1wk-N

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Jenkins & Schriver Motor Co.
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TOP PRICES
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ACROSS
1. Wealthy
5. Raise
9. Two-toed sloth
10. Nurse (India)
11. Revolve
12. Nimble
13. Soak flax
14. Viscous substance
15. Showy in dress
18. Particle
21. Mass
22. Passage for air
24. Public notice
25. Toadies to
27. Sun god
28. Religious ceremony
30. Expression
31. Pinaceous trees
32. Strain
35. Lubricate
37. Chance
38. Island off Florida
39. Mature
41. Algerian town
42. On the ocean
43. Soon after this
44. Poetic verb form

DOWN
1. Wagon groove
2. Hardened
3. Heeds
4. Seeks
5. Final
6. Damages
7. A litter of pigs
8. Belonging to thee
15. To stunt
16. Half diameters
17. Jolly boats
19. Edible rootstocks
20. Nurses (India)
23. At home
25. Capable of being fused
26. Rough lava
29. Gutter for rainwater
30. Condiment
33. A twist (Scot.)
34. Lift
36. Past part. of lie
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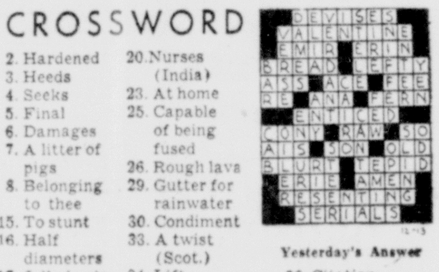

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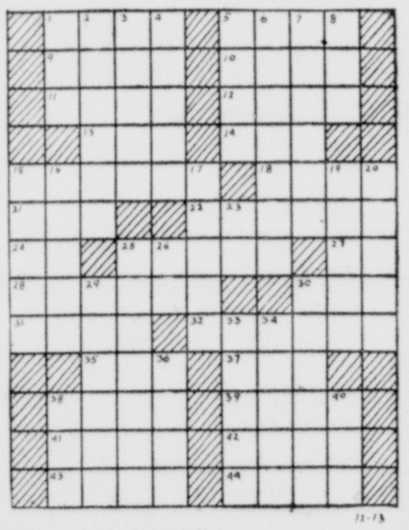

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"MOTHER SLEEP"
Mother sleeps, at last in peace,
A smile upon her face,
Her love for us will never cease,
She's in a better place.
Her toil worn hands, at last at rest
Her soul is in God's care.
For us she always did her best,
We put silver in her hair.
Mother sleeps, but not alone
She sleeps with Angels near.
Our sins to her, we now atone,
And keep her memory dear.

Sadly missed by
HUSBAND, SONS AND DAUGHTERS.
12-13-1t-N

1—Announcements

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6—Used Tires, Parts

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PHONE 571-J
9-28-tf-T

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11—Business Opportunities

FOR SALE or rent. Rosy Ann, located on Oldtown Road. Phone 19. 12-12-3t-T

13—Coal For Sale

BEST WOOD and coal. Write George Leydig, Hyndman, Pa. 11-28-31t-N

BETTER LUMPY
Big Vein — Phone 3300
AYERS COAL CO.
9-7-tf-T

COAL, John Cross. Phone 4216-R. 9-29-tf-N

CLITES big vein and best stoker Phone 1590. 9-30-tf-N

WAKEMAN Coal Co., Pennsylvania big vein and stoker. Phone 339-W-4. 10-7-tf-T

BEST Somerset Big Vein coal, $5.50 ton. Grace and Boden, Hyndman, Pa. 11-20-21t-N

MEYERSDALE clean coal. Call 1815-J. J Petenbrink. 10-24-tf-T

JOE JOHN'S coal. Phone Mt. Savage 2135. 11-6-tf-N

J RILEY, Big Vein, Stoker. Phone 4167. 10-12-tf-T

COAL, Big Vein and stoker. Phone 1791-J. 11-18-31t-T

DOMESTIC stoker coal. Shanholtz, Phone 2249-R. 12-5-31t-T

BERLIN, PA. COAL
GUARANTEED W. MALONE 4507-J 12-6-31t-N

WOOD AND COAL. Charles Hensell, Phone 2936 or 730. 12-7-31t-T

COAL TRUCKER Notice. Good quality coal at Berkley Mine. hone 703-W-4, Meyersdale, Pa. 12-8-5t-N

COAL from Georges Creek, Phone 4164-J. 12-8-2wks-T

GOOD COAL, prompt delivery. Phone 981-W-2. 12-12-31t-N

15—Electric Work, Fixtures

WANTED: Electrical work of all kinds. J. Joseph Kelley, Electrical Contractor, Phone 4233-W. 11-12-31t-T

ELECTRIC WORKS
MOTOR repairing, wiring and fixtures. Queen City Electric Co., 158 Frederick St., Phone 117.

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16—Money To Loan

IF YOU need $1000 or less to purchase Real Estate, call Mr. Wickline, phone 721. 12-8-31t-N

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Interest 5% per Year
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22—Furnished Rooms

BEDROOM for two girls. $7 week. 107 W. Oldtown Road. 12-12-2t-N

24—Houses For Rent

THREE ROOM house, electric, garden. Inquire Joe Sims, Old Furnace Road, off Route 28, six miles from Cumberland. 12-11-2t-T

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26—For Sale Miscellaneous

WINE Special. Lowest at 65c fifth. Soterakos, 315 N. Centre St. 12-12-3t-N

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HAROLDS
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26—For Sale Miscellaneous

FURNITURE, fixtures. 161 North Centre. 11-26-1 mo-N

CHILD'S BED. Phone 1699-R. 12-11-2t-T

942 STYLE Craft living room suite, blue and wine. Earl C. Crites, Hyndman, Pa. 12-11-2t-T

A NUMBER of squares of red brick insulated siding, enough for a good sized house. Hager's, 836 N. Mechanic St. 12-10-tf-T

BROWN Chesterfield coat, size 9. Never been worn. Phone 2658-J. 12-11-3t-N

BOY'S brown suit and mackinaw, size 18. 539 Fairview Ave. 12-11-3t-N

LARGE Caloric heater, like new, $40. Tricycle, balloon tires, Phone Flintstone 141. 12-11-3t-N

GAS COOKING stove, side oven; Frost-killer heating stove; coal cooking stove. Cheap. Phone 1497-M. 11-15-tf-T

SPENCER SUPPORTS, individually designed. Alleta Allamong Lucha, Phone 3822-M. 9-1-tf-N

PEAT MOSS for poultry litter, lawns, flowers and shrubs. Liberty Hardware Co. 9-29-tf-N

CHRISTMAS TREES, live, cut or sprayed trees. Savage Garden Nurseries, Phone Mt. Savage 3376, Cumberland 2170-J. 12-3-tf-T

COOKING STOVE, combination coal and gas, cheap. Phone 1497-M. 12-3-tf-T

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CHRISTMAS greeting cards. Phone 1087-J. 12-6-1wk-N

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FAMISE Foundation garments, elastic panel. Phone Mrs. Sykes, 2026. 10-29-tf-T

RECORDS. Enterprise, 126 N. Centre. 12-8-tf-T

SALE ½ price sample wool dresses, size 9 to 18, $4.95-$7.95, afternoons 2 to 5. Call 807 Maryland Ave. 12-9-tf-T.

REGISTERED Cocker Spaniel puppies, Phone 4015-F-31. 11-15-10-31-8 wks-N

LIVING, LOVABLE XMAS GIFTS—Puppies, Cocker and Springer Spaniels, registered. All colors, ages, prices. Harold Meek, Vale Summit, Md. 12-1-tf-N

THE BEST FURNITURE. Reasonable prices. Max's Furniture Store, 47 Virginia Ave. 12-4-31t-T

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GIVE her a fur coat or jacket. Closing out remaining stock at spectacular savings. Values to $200, two groups $30 and $50, tax included. A grand buy in a fur coat is now possible. Maurice's. 12-10-3t-T

300 WHITE Leghorn pullets, 4½ months old. $1 each. 3501. 12-9-1wk-T

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CHILD'S desk, small gas heater. 912 Bedford St. 12-12-3t-N

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AT HALF OR LESS
Than Their Original Cost
1000 Other Items Too Numerous To Mention
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Opposite A. & P. Super Market
Free Delivery
JOHN CROSS
12-13 1wk-N

26—For Sale Miscellaneous

BELTS and bag for any make vacuum cleaner. Used bags, 50c. 104 S. Liberty St., 2nd floor. 12-12-2t-N

BOY'S bicycle. Call 3368-R. 4 New Hampshire Ave. 12-12-3t-N

UPRIGHT piano, $40. 26 Fifth St. 12-12-3t-N

GIRL'S bicycle. Mrs. Ethel Robertson. Winchester Road, Cresaptown. 12-12-3t-N

HEATING stove, cheap. 146 Polk St. 12-13-2t-N

SIX PIECE walnut bedroom suite, springs included. Phone 840-M. 12-13-1t-N

INTERESTING collection 130 books, give away price. Also household goods. Leaving town. 136 Bedford St., first floor. 12-13-1t-N

ORDER your Christmas trees now. Pine and cedar. Phone 88-J-3 after 5 p. m. 12-13-4t-N

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BOY'S pre-war Admiral bicycle, fully equipped, good condition, $40. Phone 3099-J after 6 P. M. 12-12-tf-N

TWO large steam radiators. Phone 1520-R at 6 P. M. 12-12-tf-N

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Men's and Boys' Wear

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29—Furniture, Stoves

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37—Musical Instruments

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MUSIC SHOP
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38—Lost and Found

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39—Miscellaneous

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40—Metal Weatherstripping

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41—Moving, Storage

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43-A—Professional Services

SURVEYING, Carl A. Low, 61 Greene St. Phone 1040-M. 12-8-31t-T

46—Radios, Service

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47—Real Estate For Sale

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LOTS—Popp 161 North Centre St. 11-26-1-mo-N

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49-A—Typewriters, Service

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51—Wanted To Buy

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52—Wanted Miscellaneous

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53—Wanted To Rent

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Her love for us will never cease,
She's in a better place,
Her toil worn hands, at last at rest
Her soul is in God's care,
For us she always did her best,
We put silver in her hair.
Mother sleeps, but not alone
She sleeps with Angels near.
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No Settlement Is Seen In Bus Drivers' Strike

Union Statement Says Main Issue Is Refusal of PE Officials To Accept Arbitration

Representatives of the bus drivers' and mechanics' union said late last night they received a statement from the Potomac Edison Company which they interpreted as an ultimatum that they must return to work by Saturday, December 15, or forfeit their seniority.

Officers and negotiation committeemen met with Henry W. Price, district manager of the company, shortly before 11 p. m. after the company had asked for such a meeting, officials of the union said.

They said Price read them a statement which they interpreted as an ultimatum under which they must report to the company by 9 o'clock this morning whether or not they will return to work by Saturday, December 15. If they do not return to work by that date they will forfeit seniority, union members said the statement informed them.

There was no sign of a settlement last night of the work stoppage of seventy-five bus drivers and mechanics of the Potomac Edison Company that yesterday virtually paralyzed Cumberland's transportation system.

Officers of the drivers' and mechanic's union, Local 1110, Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employes of America, AFL, declared that the members planned to stay away from their jobs until the company makes them a satisfactory offer.

The main issue at stake, the membership said in a prepared statement, "is the refusal of the Potomac Edison officials to accept arbitration."

James H. Morrison, president of the local, said earlier that contract negotiations between the union and company broke down and that company officials refused a union offer to arbitrate the dispute after a meeting Tuesday morning.

Ask $1.10 Hourly

He said the drivers and mechanics are asking a wage boost to $1.10 per hour from the present scale of eighty-seven cents hourly. Morrison added that a company offer of five cents an hour was refused by the union and that arbitration then was requested. The union is not on strike, he said, but is in a "continuous meeting" discussing the contract.

Seventy-one of the seventy-five members of the union were present at the meeting last night when the statement was prepared for release by the local.

"In replying to the statement made by the Potomac Edison Company on December 12, 1945, concerning the work stoppage now in effect," the union statement said, "the members of the union wish to apologize to the public for the inconvenience caused to them by the tie-up of transportation in the City of Cumberland by such short notice.

No Other Alternative

"Under the existing circumstances and due to the attitude of the officials of the Potomac Edison Company in regards to arbitration of proposed contract, we had no other alternative. The union on December 11, 1945, offered to the company the right of arbitration concerning the questions in dispute which the company refused. The main issue is the refusal of the Potomac Edison officials to accept arbitration.

"The company in their statement in The Evenenig Times on December 12, 1945, stated that they have complied with all provisions of the contract, then why during the meeting of December 11, 1945, did the company refuse the union off to arbitrate, which is one of the provisions in the contract?"

That statement was in reply to a statement made by Henry W. Price, district manager of the Potomac Edison Company, which is published as an advertisement in The Cumberland News.

"The company regrets the interruption of city bus service and believes the public is entitled to know the facts concerning the event which preceded it," Price's statement said.

Informed at 5:30 A. M.

"Our first knowledge of the stoppage was at 5:30 yesterday morning when we were informed by a member of Division 1110 that its members 'were in continuous meeting' and would not report for work.

"Bus drivers and maintenance men have been working under agreements between Division 1110 and the company since January 16, 1943. The present agreement was signed January 24, 1945, and does not expire until January 15, 1946.

"The agreement now in effect contains the following 'No strike, no lockout' clause: 'The association and its members agree that during the period of this agreement there will be no strikes or walkouts by the association or its members, and the company agrees that there shall be no lockouts of the association or its members, it being the mutual desire of both parties hereto to provide uninterrupted and continuous service to the public.'

"Therefore, the action of the union in this case is a violation of the existing agreement.

"The cause of the present stoppage is not the result of any differences between the company and the union under the agreement which has five weeks to run, but has resulted instead from the negotiations for a new agreement to cover the period beginning January 16, 1946. The status of these negotiations is as follows:

"On November 8, 1945, the union requested a meeting with the company to negotiate changes to be incorporated in next year's agreement.

First Meeting December 4

"On December 4, 1945, the first meeting was held and the union presented and explained the changes being requested.

"On December 7, 1945, a second meeting was held when the company made a counter proposal incorporating several of the changes proposed by the union. The com-

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Total Bond Sales Are over the Top, Lashley Reports

County Is Lagging in Sale of Series "E" Bonds, He Says

Allegany county has sold more than one and one-half million dollars of bonds in excess of the total quota, it was revealed yesterday.

The total quota assigned to Allegany county for the Victory Loan campaign for all types of bonds was $2,750,00. The county was also assigned a quota of individual sales for all classes of bonds of $1,150,000. Sales in this category amounted to $1,208,873.50, which is substantially in excess of the assigned quota.

However, Allegany county is still lagging behind in the sale of Serial "E" bonds. The total quota given to the county on Series "E" bonds was $800,000 and up to December 8, sales amounted to $449,873.50 or slightly better than fifty-six per cent of the quota.

Lashley Makes Statement

The report of the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond as of December 8, 1945, shows total sales of all classes of bonds in the current Victory Loan Drive of $4,315,428.

Chairman Lynn C. Lashley of the Victory Loan Committee for Allegany county, in commenting upon the report to date, remarked that "it is quite evident that people who are familiar with investment problems today see the decided advantages in making purchases of government securities. Otherwise, we would not have such a large excess over our total quota on all types of bonds. As a matter of fact, the Series "E" issue is the most attractive for the average individual of any bond sold in this drive.

"The rate of income over a period of ten years is 2.9 per cent and the buyer of this bond is protected against any market fluctuations. The Treasury Department has wisely made a provision in the Series "E" Bonds that they can be redeemed at any time after sixty days from the date of issuance.

Eighteen More Days

"From the date of this report, there are but eighteen days until the close of the Victory Loan Drive. If the citizens of this county will give the War Finance Committee the same co-operation that has been extended during the past four years, we can exceed the "E" Bond quota. Allegany county has always been at the top of the list among the counties of the state and certainly we should keep our splendid record in the final Victiry Loan campaign."

Ten Births Are Reported in Hospitals

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Naill, Flintstone, announce the birth of a daughter in Memorial hospital yesterday morning.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Simons, Spring Gap, in Memorial hospital yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Nichols, 146 North Mechanic street, announce the birth of a daughter in Allegany hospital Tuesday morning.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Long, Wiley Ford, W. Va., in Memorial hospital yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Haslacher, Maysville, W. Va., announce the birth of a son in Memorial hospital yesterday morning.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. Brown, 516 Ridgewood avenue, in Memorial hospital Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ellsworth, Route 5, announce the birth of a daughter in Allegany hospital last evening at 9 o'clock.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Heavner, Route 3, Bedford road, in Allegany hospital last evening at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crawford, 449 Goethe street, announce the brith of a son in Allegany hospital Saturday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Deflbaugh, 143½ Bedford street, in Memorial hospital last evening at 10:09 o'clock.

Reports Robbery

Wayne B. Taylor, 3014 South Wallace street, Chicago, reported to police Sunday that he was robbed of $300 while on a bus from Washington, D. C. He added that $200 of the amount was in currency and the other $100 was a check.

Celanese Features "Bonds for Gifts" At Christmas

Two Large Trees Are Being Decorated at Main Gates to Plant

The Celanese plant will feature a Christmas program built around the theme of "Buy Bonds for Christmas" in its effort to meet a quota of $250,000 in E bond sales in the Victory Loan drive, members of the Celanese bond committee, announced last night.

Center of decorations at the plant will be two large Christmas trees, brilliantly illuminated, with one to be placed at each of the main entrances to the plant.

One tree has been placed atop the employment building and will be clearly visible from the highway, the plant's parking lot and to employes. The second tree has been placed on a platform at the level of the fence around the plant, is located near the south gate and also will be clearly visible.

Will Be Floodlighted

Both trees are being decorated now and an attractive sign, twenty-two feet long and five feet high, will be placed adjacent to the trees. The signs and trees will be floodlighted.

The signs, made of chicken wire with cut-out letters telling the story, will extend to all readers Christmas greetings and urge them to buy and give Victory bonds as Christmas gifts.

All employes at the plant yesterday received with their pay checks a special four-page Christmas folder, decorated on the front with Santa Claus carrying a full pack and the words "Merry Christmas, A Victory Bond Makes the Best Christmas Gift."

The second page of the pamphlet lists some of the things Victory bonds do, such as bringing veterans home faster and combatting inflation. Page 3 points out that victory bonds are good investments with each $3 invested returning $4 at maturity.

The final page urges employes to buy their bonds at the Celanese plant and take advantage of the bond drive committee's $1,350 in bond prizes to be awarded to holders of lucky numbers in a drawing.

Using Loudspeakers

Over loudspeakers in the plant's cafeterias and at the entrance gates, voice announcements are being made urging employes to buy bonds for Christmas.

Posters prepared and distributed by the Treasury are being placed in the various departments at the plant. These posters, extending yuletide greetings, also urge the purchase of bonds for Christmas gifts.

One committee member pointed out last night that after December 15, all bonds bought at the plant will be enclosed in a special Christmas wrapper.

On Christmas eve and the weekend prior to Christmas, Christmas carols will be played over the plant's loudspeaker system.

Local News in Brief

A building permit was granted in the city engineer's office yesterday to Mrs. Bertha Blonsky, 407 Valley street, to enclose a porch at her home with frame walls. Construction work, estimated to cost $70, will be done by J. C. Bockhouse.

Chief Judge William A. Huster yesterday granted Mr. and Mrs. Leo D. Miller the right to adopt Kathleen Elizabeth Bennett, aged 7, the daughter of Moses S. Bennett, a soldier now in the service of his country. The court also ruled that the child's name should be changed to Kathleen Elizabeth Miller.

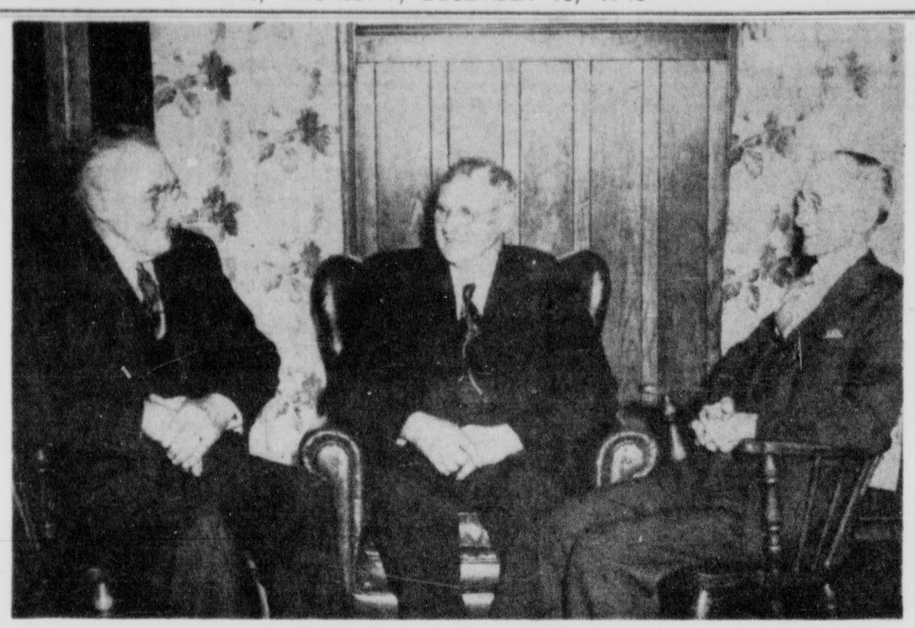
Announcement was made yesterday that the Rev. Father John Coulehan, Cumberland, now stationed at the Maryknoll Novitiate, Bedford, Mass, has been assigned to the Hawaiian Islands to join the sixteen Maryknollers now at work there. Father Coulehan was formerly stationed in the Hawaiian Islands and was pastor of Sacred Heart Parish in Honolulu.

Twenty-seven boy scouts and leaders met at the Salvation Army work shop Tuesday night to paint and repair toys which have been donated. Anyone having additional toys to be given are asked to call 2001 by tomorrow.

C. J. Sibley Secures Building Permit

Clarence J. Sibley secured a permit in the city engineer's office Tuesday to build an addition to a building at the rear of 26 Oak street to be used as an apartment.

Construction cost is estimated at $1,000. The addition, comprising one story and a basement, will measure nineteen by thirty-four feet, with a concrete block foundation, walls of insulbrick and a composition roof.



—News Staff Photo

BOLT AND FORGE VETERANS—Local 32, Bolt and Forge Blacksmiths, Tuesday night honored three retired veterans with a turkey dinner at Central YMCA. Shown above (left to right) are W. H. Troutman, who served with the B. & O. railroad from 1922-41; George W. Fansler, from 1923-45; and John D. Barker, from 1909-44. A tribute was paid to the three retired men by Herbert F. Sarver, president of the local.

Action of Boxing Commissioner Is Upheld by Paper

John McMullen Wires AAU Praising Appointment of C. V. Burns

Following action of Fort Cumberland Post, No. 13, American Legion, Tuesday night to ask for the resignation of Clarence "Jiggs" Burns, Cumberland News sports editor, as Cumberland boxing commissioner of the Amateur Athletic Association, John J. McMullen, president of the Times and Alleganian Company, publisher of the Times-News, wired the South Athletic Association of the Amateur Athletic Union congratulating the organization in selecting a chairman "who is not influenced by pressure groups."

In the telegram, McMullen stated, "relative to the resolution adopted last night (Tuesday) by Fort Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion, asking for the resignation of Clarence "Jiggs" Burns, let me take this opportunity to congratulate the Amateur Athletic Union on selecting a chairman who is not influenced by pressure groups.

Concurs with Burns

"The sanction recently granted for the Silver Belt Boxing Tournament resulted in a satisfactory card. I concur with Mr. Burns in the position he has taken that the past records of boxing promotors should be the basis on which sanctions are granted, and I believe that the attempt of any group to try to monopolize boxing promotions will not be reflected in the minds of right thinking veterans who have fought and won a war for democracy."

In a similar vein, today's editorial page of the News carries an editorial in which Burns's integrity is praised and also suggests that the Legion went off "half cocked" in adopting such a resolution.

Meanwhile, Robert V. Chisholm, chairman of the Legion boxing committee, denied having made the actual motion to have Burns removed as boxing chairman.

The News reporter, who attended the meeting, recalls that when Commander Samuel A. Graham called on the athletic committee for its report, Phil Fleming initially reported on the progress of the basketball team and then turned the floor over to Chisholm.

Chisholm Made Original Motion

Chisholm, in a talk that lasted about ten minutes said he felt strongly about the matter in regard to Burns and said it was not a question of monopoly on boxing matches but a matter of amateurism. **HE, CHISHOLM, SAID HE HAD NO PERSONAL FEELING AGAINST BURNS BUT WAS CONVINCED THAT ACTION SHOULD BE TAKEN AND MOVED THAT SUCH ACTION BE TAKEN.**

After considerable discussion both pro and con regarding the matter, Commander Graham asked, "Well, what do you want to do about it?"

At that point Fleming reiterated Chisholm's motion that Burns be asked to resign and the motion passed.

POST OFFICE TO OPEN ALL DAY SATURDAY

The local post office will be open all day Saturday with window service for mail and parcels, Postmaster James C. Shriver said.

No deliveries will be made Saturday afternoon.

Shriver said that all parcels should be mailed by December 15 if they are to reach their destination by Christmas.

He said that the bulk of mail sent to APO 729, the Aleutian area, was lost in a violent storm. The army will accept a replacement package if it is not mailed later than December 20. Overseas mail is about forty-five precent below that of last year.

A total of 23,758 letters were cancelled yesterday. The daily average between November 26 and December 2 was 20,095.

Airmail daily averages the same period were 1,124 sent out, 776 received. Most airmail received here, Shriver said, comes from Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, New York and Pittsburgh, while the most sent out goes to Texas, California and Florida.

Ordinarily, he said, the daily airmail letters sent out number 326.

Extinguish Flue Fire

Corriganville Volunteer Fire Company was called to the home of Richard Cochran, Corriganville, last evening at 6:45 o'clock to extinguish a flue fire. Firemen said there was no damage.

11,000 Students To Get Turkey Dinner Next Week

Plans were completed yesterday for serving 11,000 Allegany county school children a big Christmas dinner either Wednesday or Thursday of next week, William P. Cooper, in charge of school cafeterias, announced yesterday.

The staff has purchased 3,500 pounds of turkey which will be divided among the various cafeterias in twenty-six schools in the county. Cooper estimated that approximately 175 turkeys will be delivered to fill the bill.

Other items on the menu include cranberry sauce, dressing, mashed potatoes and gravy, vegetables, milk and ice cream.

Bosley Divorce Action Is Taken Under Advisement

Associate Judge Walter C. Capper yesterday took the case of Bosley versus Bosley under advisement until a transcript of the testimony completed yesterday can be prepared.

The case was brought by Oliver S. Bosley, represented by Estel C. Kelley, against Laura Mae Bosley. The case was tried on an amended bill filed by Bosley who is asking for an absolute divorce. His wife, represented by Paul M. Fletcher, filed a cross bill charging her husband with abandonment.

The couple were married in 1942 and separated in 1945.

Chief Judge William A. Huster awarded an absolute divorce to John Raymond Hall, a former captain in the National Guard, from Irone Norma Hall. Hall, 24, 119 South Lee street, said he and his wife were married in 1942 and separated in 1945. He was in the army two years and was discahrged in November, 1943. Albert A. Doub, Jr., was his counsel.

Judge Huster awarded another absolute decree to Harvey V. Deremer, 19, Cresap street, from Juanita E. Deremer. He was also awarded the custody of their child, over one year old. He was represented by Julius E. Schindler.

The court awarded a third decree to Troxell F. Custer, 25, Midland, a former soldier, from Edna Patricia Custer, who filed a cross bill. Judge Huster ruled that the defendant is to receive $25 a month. They were married in 1940 and separated in 1941. William M. Somerville represented the plaintiff and E. M. Horchler the defendant.

Harry W. Long has filed suit for an absolute divorce from his wife, Mrs. Frances R. Long. The couple was married in Cumberland on May 28, 1940, and separated on June 15, 1942. Desertion is alleged in the bill of complaint. Julius E. Schindler is attorney for the husband.

Western Maryland Alumni To Organize

Thirty-four Western Maryland college alumni of Allegany and Garrett counties have accepted invitations to attend a reorganization meeting of the Allegany-Garrett Alumni Association of the college at 6:30 p. m. Friday at Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

Principal speaker at the meeting will be F. Murray Benson, Baltimore, outstanding alumnus of the college and general director of the living endowment fund.

T. K. Harrison, executive secretary of the alumni association; Dean Alvey Isanogle, of the department of education; the Rev. John Bayley Jones, director of public relation, and Miss Cora Virginia Perry, assistant registrar, also are expected to attend.

Dr. Fred G. Holloway, college president, may attend although he has not yet fully recovered from a recent illness.

The meeting will be preceded by a dinner.

Officers Elected At Board Meeting Of Salvation Army

Eves Is Re-elected President; Adjutant Robert S. Ball Makes Report

Roy W. Eves was re-elected president of the Salvation Army Advisory Board at the regular meeting at the Citadel, yesterday, Adjutant R. S. Ball reported.

Other officers elected were J. Fred Avers, secretary, and William E. McDonald, treasurer. Fred Eller was appointed as Salvation Army reprerentative to the Community Chest.

The report for the month of November made by Adjutant Ball shows that expenditures amounted to $1,789.92 of which sum $351 was used for transient relief and emergency work.

A total of 134 meals were served to transients and twenty-eight men made applications. Twenty-four persons were accomodated for lodgings. Forty garments, four pairs of shoes and sixteen grocery orders were issued.

In the senior work of the army, forty meetings were held during the month with a total attendance of 1,070. This includes the meetings of the Ladies Home League, Ladies Sewing cicle, public indoor meetings and open air meetings.

In the young peoples' branch, fifty five meetings were held with a total attendance of 738. This includes the Sunday Schools, religious training classes and other young peopies' classes.

Adjutant Ball announced that a new scout troop is starting this Friday night at 7 p. m. in the South Cumberland building of the army and that any boys living in that locality who are not already scouts are welcome to apply for membership in the new troop that evening.

The amount of sickness prevalent in the community cut down on attendance at Salvation Army functions during November, Adjutant Ball said.

COLD SNAP CONTINUES IN CUMBERLAND AREA

The weather continued cold in Cumberland and vicinity last night with roads in good condition although snow flurries were reported in the vicinity of Grantsville shortly before midnight.

Temperature in Cumberland at midnight was 20 degrees, the Western Maryland railway dispatcher reported. Temperatures reported from other localities at the same time were: Frostburg, 12; Deal, Pa., 10 with snow flurries; and Thomas, W. Va., 12 degrees and cloudy.

While the cold snap continued, the temperature at midnight was two degrees higher than the same time the night before when the reading was eighteen degrees.

The ground in nearby areas remains covered with recent snow, particularly in the Garrett county region.

1946 Nash Is Displayed

Milton H. Meyers, manager of the M-G-K Motor Company, announced yesterday that a 1946 model Nash is on display at the company show room on Glenn street. 1946 Nash models will include the "600" and the "Ambassador," Meyers added.

Traffic Club Has Christmas Party At Shrine Club

Members of the Tri-State Traffic Club participated in an old-fashioned Yule-time party last night following their regular monthly dinner meeting at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

At the business session, Leo H. Ley, traffic manager at the Kelly Springfield Tire Company, stated that all of the highway transport offices of the O. D. T., both in Washington and elsewhere in the county, were closed effective December 1. Rationing of new commercial motor vehicles ended at the same time.

Shortage of Equipment

An extreme shortage of railway passenger equipment is delaying the movement of returning troops from the Pacific coast areas, the speaker said, but eastern lines have withdrawn an additional thousand passenger coaches to put into that service. This should help considerably, Ley said.

Airlines from the west to the east have been instructed to set aside seventy per cent of their space for returning soldiers. Holiday travel will continue to be adversely affected by the returning troop movement and civilians are urged not to travel over the seasonal holiday period, Ley said.

Air express rates have been reduced an average of thirteen per cent effective January 1, with the coast to coast rate cut to seventy three cents per pound. The rate was formerly eighty four cents.

Santa Makes Visit

Following the business session, Santa Claus visited the party and distributed gifts to the guests. Group singing was directed by Mr. and Mrs. George F. McDermott. Solos were sung by George W. Ewing, Pittsburgh, and Charles F. Helmick.

Matthew W. Grove, D. P. A. of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, and John L. Carnochan, joint agent of the Western Maryland and Pennsylvania Railroad, teamed together to sing "Working on the Railroad." Ralph Lashley, Ley and Peter J. Decker also presented a number of recitations and songs.

Arrangements for the affair were under the direction of Martin L. Johnson, president; John L. Carnochan, secretary, and William C. Somerville, chairman of the entertainment committee.

Edwards, Bruce To Attend Meeting

Commissioner William J. Edwards and Charles J. Bruce, superintendent of the Evitts Creek Water Company, will drive to Baltimore tomorrow morning to attend the twenty-ninth annual meeting of the four-states section of the American Waterworks Association, Edwards said yesterday.

Both are members of the association. Registration for the meeting will be held this evening, and tomorrow's activities will feature on an address of welcome at 10 a. m. by Mayor Theodore R. McKeldin of Baltimore.

Some 150 engineers, geologists, and public officials from Maryland, the District of Columbia, Eastern Pennsylvania, and Delaware are expected to attend.

R. C. Beckett, chief engineer of the Delaware State Department of Health and chairman of of the section, will preside at the three-day session.

The Fuller award, made annually in recognition of meritorious work in the waterworks field, will be presented at the annual banquet Friday evening. Gustav J. Requardt, member of the advisory board on water supply and advisory engineer to the commission on city planning, who won the award last year, will make the presentation.

Other speakers at the Friday and Saturday sessions will include Dr. Abel Wolman, professor of sanitary engineering at Johns Hopkins and former president of the association; J. R. Hoffert, assistant chief engineer of the Pennsylvania State Department of Health; Leonard N. Thompson, president of the American Waterworks Association; James H. Allen, executive secretary of the interstate commission on the Delaware basin; Edward L. Cotton, engineer-secretary of the interstate committee of the Potomac river; and Clark Hill, city manager of Rehoboth, Del.

Extinguish Blaze

Central Fire Company No. 1 was called to the Carter Sea food shop, 144 North Centre street, last evening at 9:33 o'clock to extinguish a minor blaze in a back room of the shop. Firemen said hot ashes from a can set the floor on fire. Damage, was slight and the blaze was under control in twenty-minutes, firemen added.

Heskett Reports Flood Control Plans Completed

Project To Be Discussed by Army Engineers at Meeting November 20

By MARY LOUISE BUZZELL

Plans and preliminary estimates for Cumberland's flood control project have been completed by army engineers, Charles Z. Heskett, city attorney, said last night.

Heskett said he received a telephone call to that effect yesterday afternoon from Lt. Col Byron Bird, assistant district engineer of the United States Engineer Office, Washington, D. C.

The city attorney said that a meeting has been called for Thursday, December 20, at 1:15 p. m. in the council chamber at city hall, when Col. Bird and other army engineers will give a report on recommendations which will be made to the federal government regarding the project.

Officials Will Attend

Among those who will be asked to attend the meeting are Mayor Thomas S. Post and the city council; Dr. Thomas W. Koon and the members of the municipal planning and zoning commission; Mayor Odbert Poling and the town council of Ridgeley, W. Va.; Ralph L. Rizer, city engineer, and members of his staff; and Heskett.

It is expected that Col. Bird will be accompanied here by Col. John M. Johnson, district engineer of the United States Engineer Office.

Col. Bird and Col. Clarence Renshaw, who was later succeeded by Col. Johnson, were in Cumberland November 29, 1943, to confer with city officials and the municipal planning and zoning commission regarding a flood protection plan for Cumberland and Ridgeley.

At that time ratification of a proposed "deepened channel plan" with modifications was effected and army engineers were authorized to proceed with preliminary plans for the project, in a joint resolution approved by the planning and zoning commission and Mayor Thomas F. Conlon and the city council.

The plan provided for deepening the channel of Wills creek, building a retaining wall along the greater portion of Mechanic street with a floodway adjacent to the creek, and removal of the existing dam, with reduction of sidewalls, stop logs and pumping stations to the fullest extent possible. A clause in the resolution specifically requested federal authorities to undertake the maintenance of the channel after completion of the project.

Another Dam Proposed

Another dam would be constructed farther up the Potomac river, making possible a reservoir which might be of value to the industries located there, according to provisions of the plan.

Col. Renshaw had estimated previously that the cost to the city would be approximately $800,000, with an overall cost of about $4,600,000, the difference to be borne by the federal government for channels, dykes and levees.

Construction of a flood control model in Vicksburg, Miss., was authorized in January, 1944, and completed the following July. A Cumberland delegation, including Commissioner James Orr and Commissioner Hunter B. Helfrich, Rizer, and Heskett, visited Vicksburg last May to witness flood model tests.

Lions Hear Talk By J. R. Tenney

In 1944 the nation's railroads performed 738 billion ton miles of service as compared with a prewar record of 447 billion ton miles in 1929, J. R. Tenney, superintendent of safety of the Western Maryland Railway, told members of the Lions Club yesterday in an address entitled "The Improved Iron Horse."

"In the last year or two, the railroads have been faced with the necessity of performing more transportation service per unit of equipment and per employe than ever before," Tenney said. "They have not only taken on the war load as measured in movements of troops, material, lend lease supplies etc., but have also absorbed a very substantial volume of traffic which formerly moved by coastwise and inter-coastal vessels, motor truck and bus."

Tenney told the group that "with one-fourth fewer employes, one-third fewer locomotives, one-fourth fewer freight cars and one-third fewer passenger cars than they had in the First World war, the railroads are moving nearly double as many troops per month; about five times as much army freight and express per month; twenty times as much navy freight and express per month for overseas destinations; and nearly double as many ton miles of freight of all kinds per month, as they moved in the last war—and they are performing this unprecedented task efficiently and without serious congestion."

The reason for this is the fact that railroads have a better organization than in the last war, entered the war better organized to co-ordinate their efforts and services and have more effective co-operation among shippers and between shippers and railroads in the utilization of equipment, Tenney said.

Two Men Post Bonds After Disturbance

Two men who police said were involved in a disturbance in the Maryland tap room, North Mechanic street, posted $10 bond each for a hearing in police court this morning.

The men, docketed as James Angelletta, 533 Henderson avenue, and Marshall Caton, Frostburg, were arrested by Officer Ernest M. Powell at 10:30 p. m., and booked for disorderly conduct.

Roy Glass, Route 1, Narrows Park, was fined $5 in police court yesterday on a charge of disorderly conduct. A fine of $10 on the same charge was suspended for Joseph F. Boyland, 538 North Centre street.

Suit against Pennsylvania Railroad Settled Out of Court for $23,000

Settlement for $23,000 of a suit filed in circuit court by John D. Pifer, 38, Maryland avenue, against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for alleged permanent injuries he suffered when struck by a swinging door while at work as a camp car attendant for the railroad has been reached out of court, it was learned here yesterday.

The suit, filed here June 28, was removed to Washington County Circuit Court for trial and was scheduled to be heard on Monday, December 17. Pifer had asked damages of $100,000.

When Pifer's suit was filed, he said he was injured on March 8, 1945, while working on the railroad company's Pittsburgh division. He said a latch on a train car door was broken and that the door swung and struck him on the back of the head when the train moved with unusual suddenness.

Partially Paralyzed

The muscles of both his eyes became somewhat paralyzed, practically 100 per cent vision was lost in his left eye and the left side of his body became partially paralyzed as a result of the accident, Pifer asserted.

Following the accident, Pifer was admitted to the hospital at Latrobe, Pa., where he underwent treatment for about a month.

He said the injuries permanently disfigured and disabled him and that his nervous system was permanently shocked and disabled. He added that he will never be able to engage in remunerative labor.

Subject to Federal Act

By virtue of his employment with the railroad, Pifer said he was subject to a federal act entitled "An act relating to liability to common carriers by railroad to their employes in certain cases."

Pifer declared it was "the duty of the railroad to warn him of "hidden and concealed dangers and to guard him from ordinary risks in the course of his employment."

Morgan C. Harris was attorney for Pifer with William C. Walsh representing the railroad.

Ernest Robinette Is Appointed To National Staff of Red Cross

Ernest O. "Peaches" Robinette, Bowling Green, has been appointed to the national staff of the American Red Cross and has been assigned to Camp Stoneman, Calif., as assistant field director, Mrs. Lee W. Witherup, executive secretary of Allegany County Chapter of the Red Cross, said yesterday.

Robinette, who has had long experience in welfare and teaching work, recently completed nine years of service in Alaska as a teacher and community worker with the Alaska Indian Service of the federal government.

Prior to going to Alaska, Robinette worked for several years as a case worker for the Allegany County Welfare Board and later was assistant camp director in the Maryland State Transient Bureau at Fort Howard.

Prominent in Lifesaving

Robinette holds a Bachelor of Science degree from the International YMCA college, Springfield, Mass., and on completion of his studies there returned to Cumberland and became swimming instructor at Central YMCA for a short period. He was prominent in lifesaving work here and also was associated with the Red Cross.

As assistant field director at Camp Stoneman, Robinette will assist servicemen in solving their personal and family problems, one of the most important services offered by the Red Cross to men in the armed forces, Mrs. Witherup said.

While in Alaska, Robinette was stationed at Quicklook, where he provided medical aid for Eskimos, got doctors for them and obtained airplane service to fly sick Eskimos to communities where they could receive better medical care.

Robinette returned to Seattle, Wash., from Alaska late last summer and arrived in Cumberland about the middle of October before going to Washington for a two week's Red Cross course.

Trained in California

At the completion of that period, he went to San Francisco, Calif., for

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No Settlement Is Seen In Bus Drivers' Strike

Union Statement Says Main Issue Is Refusal of PE Officials To Accept Arbitration

Representatives of the bus drivers' and mechanics' union said late last night they received a statement from the Potomac Edison Company which they interpreted as an ultimatum that they must return to work by Saturday, December 15, or forfeit their seniority.

Officers and negotiation committeemen met with Henry W. Price, district manager of the company, shortly before 11 p. m. after the company had asked for such a meeting, officials of the union said.

They said Price read them a statement which they interpreted as an ultimatum under which they must report to the company by 9 o'clock this morning whether or not they will return to work by Saturday, December 15. If they do not return to work by that date they will forfeit seniority, union members said the statement informed them.

There was no sign of a settlement last night of the work stoppage of seventy-five bus drivers and mechanics of the Potomac Edison Company that yesterday virtually paralyzed Cumberland's transportation system.

Officers of the drivers' and mechanics union, Local 1110, Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employes of America, AFL, declared that the members planned to stay away from their jobs until the company makes them a satisfactory offer.

The main issue at stake, the membership said in a prepared statement, "is the refusal of the Potomac Edison officials to accept arbitration."

James H. Morrison, president of the local, said earlier that contract negotiations between the union and company broke down and that company officials refused a union offer to arbitrate the dispute after a meeting Tuesday morning.

Ask $1.10 Hourly

He said the drivers and mechanics are asking a wage boost to $1.10 per hour from the present scale of eighty-seven cents hourly. Morrison added that a company offer of five cents an hour was refused by the union and that arbitration then was requested. The union is not on strike, he said, but is in a "continuous meeting" discussing the contract.

Seventy-one of the seventy-five members of the union were present at the meeting last night when the statement was prepared for release by the local.

"In replying to the statement made by the Potomac Edison Company on December 12, 1945, concerning the work stoppage now in effect," the union statement said, "the members of the union wish to apologize to the public for the inconvenience caused to them by the tie-up of transportation in the City of Cumberland by such short notice.

No Other Alternative

"Under the existing circumstances and due to the attitude of the officials of the Potomac Edison Company in regards to arbitration of proposed contract, we had no other alternative. The union on December 11, 1945, offered to the company the right of arbitration concerning the questions in dispute which the company refused. The main issue is the refusal of the Potomac Edison officials to accept arbitration.

"The company in their statement in The Evenenig Times on December 12, 1945, stated that they have complied with all provisions of the contract, then why during the meeting of December 11, 1945, did the company refuse the union off to arbitrate, which is one of the provisions in the contract?"

That statement was in reply to a statement made by Henry W. Price, district manager of the Potomac Edison Company, which is published as an advertisement in The Cumberland News.

"The company regrets the interruption of city bus service and believes the public is entitled to know the facts concerning the event which preceded it," Price's statement said.

Informed at 5:30 A. M.

"Our first knowledge of the stoppage was at 5:30 yesterday morning when we were informed by a member of Division 1110 that its members 'were in continuous meeting' and would not report for work.

"Bus drivers and maintenance men have been working under agreements between Division 1110 and the company since January 16, 1943. The present agreement was signed January 24, 1945, and does not expire until January 15, 1946.

"The agreement now in effect contains the following 'No strike, no lockout' clause: 'The association and its members agree that during the period of this agreement there will be no strikes or walkouts by the association or its members, and the company agrees that there shall be no lockouts of the association or its members, it being the mutual desire of both parties hereto to provide uninterrupted and continuous service to the public.'

"Therefore, the action of the union in this case is a violation of the existing agreement.

"The cause of the present stoppage is not the result of any differences between the company and the union under the agreement which has five weeks to run, but has resulted instead from the negotiations for a new agreement to cover the period beginning January 16, 1946. The status of these negotiations is as follows:

"On November 8, 1945, the union requested a meeting with the company to negotiate changes to be incorporated in next year's agreement.

First Meeting December 4

"On December 4, 1945, the first meeting was held and the union presented and explained the changes being requested.

"On December 7, 1945, a second meeting was held when the company made a counter proposal incorporating several of the changes proposed by the union. The com-

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Total Bond Sales Are over the Top, Lashley Reports

County Is Lagging in Sale of Series "E" Bonds, He Says

Allegany county has sold more than one and one-half million dollars of bonds in excess of the total quota, it was revealed yesterday.

The total quota assigned to Allegany county for the Victory Loan campaign for all types of bonds was $2,750.00. The county was also assigned a quota of individual sales for all classes of bonds of $1,150,000. Sales in this category amounted to $1,208,873.50, which is substantially in excess of the assigned quota.

However, Allegany county is still lagging behind in the sale of Serial "E" bonds. The total quota given to the county on Series "E" bonds was $800,000 and up to December 8, sales amounted to $449,873.50 or slightly better than fifty-six per cent of the quota.

Lashley Makes Statement

The report of the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond as of December 8, 1945, shows total sales of all classes of bonds in the current Victory Loan Drive of $4,315,428.

Chairman Lynn C. Lashley of the Victory Loan Committee for Allegany county, in commenting upon the report to date, remarked that "it is quite evident that people who are familiar with investment problems today see the decided advantages in making purchases of government securities. Otherwise, we would not have such a large excess over our total quota on all types of bonds. As a matter of fact, the Series "E" issue is the most attractive for the average individual of any bond sold in this drive.

"The rate of income over a period of ten years is 2.9 per cent and the buyer of this bond is protected against any market fluctuations. The Treasury Department has wisely made a provision in the Series "E" Bonds that they can be redeemed at any time after sixty days from the date of issuance.

Eighteen More Days

"From the date of this report, there are but eighteen days until the close of the Victory Loan Drive. If the citizens of this county will give the War Finance Committee the same co-operation that has been extended during the past four years, we can exceed the "E" Bond quota. Allegany county has always been at the top of the list among the counties of the state and certainly we should keep our splendid record in the final Victiry Loan campaign."

Ten Births Are Reported in Hospitals

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Naill, Flintstone, announce the birth of a daughter in Memorial hospital yesterday morning.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Simons, Spring Gap, in Memorial hospital yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Nichols, 146 North Mechanic street, announce the birth of a daughter in Allegany hospital Tuesday morning.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Long, Wiley Ford, W. Va., in Memorial hospital yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Haslacher, Maysville, W. Va., announce the birth of a son in Memorial hospital yesterday morning.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. Brown, 516 Ridgewood avenue, in Memorial hospital Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ellsworth, Route 5, announce the birth of a daughter in Allegany hospital last evening at 9 o'clock.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Heavner, Route 3, Bedford road, in Allegany hospital last evening at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crawford, 449 Goethe street, announce the brith of a son in Allegany hospital Saturday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Deffebaugh, 143½ Bedford street, in Memorial hospital last evening at 10:09 o'clock.

Reports Robbery

Wayne B. Taylor, 3014 South Wallace street, Chicago, reported to police Sunday that he was robbed of $300 while on a bus from Washington, D. C. He added that $200 of the amount was in currency and the other $100 was a check.

Celanese Features "Bonds for Gifts" At Christmas

Two Large Trees Are Being Decorated at Main Gates to Plant

The Celanese plant will feature a Christmas program built around the theme of "Buy Bonds for Christmas" in its effort to meet a quota of $250,000 in E bond sales in the Victory Loan drive, members of the Celanese bond committee, announced last night.

Center of decorations at the plant will be two large Christmas trees, brilliantly illuminated, with one to be placed at each of the main entrances to the plant.

One tree has been placed atop the employment building and will be clearly visible from the highway, the plant's parking lot and to employes. The second tree has been placed on a platform at the level of the fence around the plant, is located near the south gate and also will be clearly visible.

Will Be Floodlighted

Both trees are being decorated now and an attractive sign, twenty-two feet long and five feet high, will be placed adjacent to the trees. The signs and trees will be floodlighted.

The signs, made of chicken wire with cut-out letters telling the story, will extend to all readers Christmas greetings and urge them to buy and give Victory bonds as Christmas gifts.

All employes at the plant yesterday received with their pay checks a special four-page Christmas folder, decorated on the front with Santa Claus carrying a full pack and the words "Merry Christmas, A Victory Bond Makes the Best Christmas Gift."

The second page of the pamphlet lists some of the things Victory bonds do, such as bringing veterans home faster and combatting inflation. Page 3 points out that victory bonds are good investments with each $3 invested returning $4 at maturity.

The final page urges employes to buy their bonds at the Celanese plant and take advantage of the bond drive committee's $1,350 in bond prizes to be awarded to holders of lucky numbers in a drawing.

Using Loudspeakers

Over loudspeakers in the plant's cafeterias and at the entrance gates, voice announcements are being made urging employes to buy bonds for Christmas.

Posters prepared and distributed by the Treasury are being placed in the various departments at the plant. These posters, extending yuletide greetings, also urge the purchase of bonds for Christmas gifts.

One committee member pointed out last night that after December 15, all bonds bought at the plant will be enclosed in a special Christmas wrapper.

On Christmas eve and the weekend prior to Christmas, Christmas carols will be played over the plant's loudspeaker system.

Local News in Brief

A building permit was granted in the city engineer's office yesterday to Mrs. Bertha Blonsky, 407 Valley street, to enclose a porch at her home with frame walls. Construction work, estimated to cost $70, will be done by J. C. Bockhouse.

Chief Judge William A. Huster yesterday granted Mr. and Mrs. Leo D. Miller the right to adopt Kathleen Elizabeth Bennett, aged 7, the daughter of Moses S. Bennett, a soldier now in the service of his country. The court also ruled that the child's name should be changed to Kathleen Elizabeth Miller.

Announcement was made yesterday that the Rev. Father John Coulehan, Cumberland, now stationed at the Maryknoll Novitiate, Bedford, Mass, has been assigned to the Hawaiian Islands to join the sixteen Maryknollers now at work there. Father Coulehan was formerly stationed in the Hawaiian Islands and was pastor of Sacred Heart Parish in Honolulu.

Twenty-seven boy scouts and leaders met at the Salvation Army work shop Tuesday night to paint and repair toys which have been donated. Anyone having additional toys to be given are asked to call 2001 by tomorrow.

C. J. Sibley Secures Building Permit

Clarence J. Sibley secured a permit in the city engineer's office Tuesday to build an addition to a building at the rear of 26 Oak street to be used as an apartment.

Construction cost is estimated at $1,000. The addition, comprising one story and a basement, will measure nineteen by thirty-four feet, with a concrete block foundation, walls of insulbrick and a composition roof.

Suit against Pennsylvania Railroad Settled Out of Court for $23,000

Settlement for $23,000 of a suit filed in circuit court by John D. Pifer, 38, Maryland avenue, against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for alleged permanent injuries he suffered when struck by a swinging door while at work as a camp car attendant for the railroad has been reached out of court, it was learned here yesterday.

The suit, filed here June 28, was removed to Washington County Circuit Court for trial and was scheduled to be heard on Monday, December 17. Pifer had asked damages of $100,000.

When Pifer's suit was filed, he said he was injured on March 8, 1945, while working on the railroad company's Pittsburgh division. He said a latch on a train car door was broken and that the door swung and struck him on the back of the head when the train moved with unusual suddenness.

Partially Paralyzed

The muscles of both his eyes became somewhat paralyzed, practically 100 per cent vision was lost in his left eye and the left side of his body became partially paralyzed as a result of the accident, Pifer asserted.

Following the accident, Pifer was admitted to the hospital at Latrobe, Pa., where he underwent treatment for about a month.

He said the injuries permanently disfigured and disabled him and that his nervous system was permanently shocked and disabled. He added that he will never be able to engage in remunerative labor.

Subject to Federal Act

By virtue of his employment with the railroad, Pifer said he was subject to a federal act entitled "An act relating to liability to common carriers by railroad to their employes in certain cases."

Pifer declared it was "the duty of the railroad to warn him of "hidden and concealed dangers and to guard him from ordinary risks in the course of his employment."

Morgan C. Harris was attorney for Pifer with William C. Walsh representing the railroad.

—News Staff Photo

BOLT AND FORGE VETERANS—Local 32, Bolt and Forge Blacksmiths, Tuesday night honored three retired veterans with a turkey dinner at Central YMCA. Shown above (left to right) are W. H. Troutman, who served with the B. & O. railroad from 1922-41; George W. Fansler, from 1923-45; and John D. Barker, from 1909-44. A tribute was paid to the three retired men by Herbert F. Sarver, president of the local.

Action of Boxing Commissioner Is Upheld by Paper

John McMullen Wires AAU Praising Appointment of C. V. Burns

Following action of Fort Cumberland Post, No. 13, American Legion, Tuesday night to ask for the resignation of Clarence "Jiggs" Burns, Cumberland News sports editor, as Cumberland boxing commissioner of the Amateur Athletic Association, John J. McMullen, president of the Times and Alleganian Company, publisher of the Times-News, wired the South Athletic Association of the Amateur Athletic Union congratulating the organization in selecting a chairman "who is not influenced by pressure groups."

In the telegram, McMullen stated, "relative to the resolution adopted last night (Tuesday) by Fort Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion, asking for the resignation of Clarence "Jiggs" Burns, let me take this opportunity to congratulate the Amateur Athletic Union on selecting a chairman who is not influenced by pressure groups.

Concurs with Burns

"The sanction recently granted for the Silver Belt Boxing Tournament resulted in a satisfactory card. I concur with Mr. Burns in the position he has taken that the past records of boxing promotors should be the basis on which sanctions are granted, and I believe that the attempt of any group to try to monopolize boxing promotions will not be reflected in the minds of right thinking veterans who have fought and won a war for democracy."

In a similar vein, today's editorial page of the News carries an editorial in which Burns's integrity is praised and also suggests that the Legion went off "half cocked" in adopting such a resolution.

Meanwhile, Robert V. Chisholm, chairman of the Legion boxing committee, denied having made the actual motion to have Burns removed as boxing chairman.

The News reporter, who attended the meeting, recalls that when Commander Samuel A. Graham called on the athletic committee for its report, Phil Fleming initially reported on the progress of the basketball team and then turned the floor over to Chisholm.

Chisholm Made Original Motion

Chisholm, in a talk that lasted about ten minutes said he felt strongly about the matter in regard to Burns and said it was not a question of monopoly on boxing matches but a matter of amateurism. **HE, CHISHOLM, SAID HE HAD NO PERSONAL FEELING AGAINST BURNS BUT WAS CONVINCED THAT ACTION SHOULD BE TAKEN AND MOVED THAT SUCH ACTION BE TAKEN.**

After considerable discussion both pro and con regarding the matter, Commander Graham asked, "Well, what do you want to do about it?"

At that point Fleming reiterated Chisholm's motion that Burns be asked to resign and the motion passed.

POST OFFICE TO OPEN ALL DAY SATURDAY

The local post office will be open all day Saturday with window service for mail and parcels, Postmaster James C. Shriver said.

No deliveries will be made Saturday afternoon.

Shriver said that all parcels should be mailed by December 15 if they are to reach their destination by Christmas.

He said that the bulk of mail sent to APO 729, the Aleutian area, was lost in a violent storm. The army will accept a replacement package if it is not mailed later than December 20. Overseas mail is about forty-five precent below that of last year.

A total of 23,758 letters were cancelled yesterday. The daily average between November 26 and December 2 was 20,095.

Airmail daily averages the same period were 1,124 sent out, 776 received. Most airmail received here, Shriver said, comes from Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, New York and Pittsburgh, while the most sent out goes to Texas, California and Florida.

Ordinarily, he said, the daily airmail letters sent out number 326.

Extinguish Flue Fire

Corriganville Volunteer Fire Company was called to the home of Richard Cochran, Corriganville, last evening at 6:45 o'clock to extinguish a flue fire. Firemen said there was no damage.

11,000 Students To Get Turkey Dinner Next Week

Plans were completed yesterday for serving 11,000 Allegany county school children a big Christmas dinner either Wednesday or Thursday of next week, William P. Cooper, in charge of school cafeterias, announced yesterday.

The staff has purchased 3,500 pounds of turkey which will be divided among the various cafeterias in twenty-six schools in the county. Cooper estimated that approximately 175 turkeys will be delivered to fill the bill.

Other items on the menu include cranberry sauce, dressing, mashed potatoes and gravy, vegetables, milk and ice cream.

Bosley Divorce Action Is Taken Under Advisement

Associate Judge Walter C. Capper yesterday took the case of Bosley versus Bosley under advisement until a transcript of the testimony completed yesterday can be prepared.

The case was brought by Oliver S. Bosley, represented by Estel C. Kelley, against Laura Mae Bosley. The case was tried on an amended bill filed by Bosley who is asking for an absolute divorce. His wife, represented by Paul M. Fletcher, filed a cross bill charging her husband with abandonment.

The couple were married in 1942 and separated in 1945.

Chief Judge William A. Huster awarded an absolute divorce to John Raymond Hall, a former captain in the National Guard, from Irone Norma Hall. Hall, 24, 119 South Lee street, said he and his wife were married in 1942 and separated in 1945. He was in the army two years and was discahrged in November, 1943. Albert A. Doub, Jr., was his counsel.

Judge Huster awarded another absolute decree to Harvey V. Deremer, 19, Cresap street, from Juanita E. Deremer. He was also awarded the custody of their child, over one year old. He was represented by Julius E. Schindler.

The court awarded a third decree to Troxell F. Custer, 25, Midland, a former soldier, from Edna Patricia Custer, who filed a cross bill. Judge Huster ruled that the defendant is to receive $25 a month. They were married in 1940 and separated in 1941. William M. Somerville represented the plaintiff and E. M. Horchler the defendant.

Harry W. Long has filed suit for an absolute divorce from his wife, Mrs. Frances R. Long. The couple was married in Cumberland on May 28, 1940, and separated on June 15, 1942. Desertion is alleged in the bill of complaint. Julius E. Schindler is attorney for the husband.

Western Maryland Alumni To Organize

Thirty-four Western Maryland college alumni of Allegany and Garrett counties have accepted invitations to attend a reorganization meeting of the Allegany-Garrett Alumni Association of the college at 6:30 p. m. Friday at Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

Principal speaker at the meeting will be F. Murray Benson, Baltimore, outstanding alumnus of the college and general director of the living endowment fund.

T. K. Harrison, executive secretary of the alumni association; Dean Alvey Isanogle, of the department of education; the Rev. John Bayley Jones, director of public relation, and Miss Cora Virginia Perry, assistant registrar, also are expected to attend.

Dr. Fred G. Holloway, college president, may attend although he has not yet fully recovered from a recent illness.

The meeting will be preceded by a dinner.

Officers Elected At Board Meeting Of Salvation Army

Eves Is Re-elected President; Adjutant Robert S. Ball Makes Report

Roy W. Eves was re-elected president of the Salvation Army Advisory Board at the regular meeting at the Citadel, yesterday, Adjutant R. S. Ball reported.

Other officers elected were J. Fred Avers, secretary, and William E. McDonald, treasurer. Fred Eller was appointed as Salvation Army representative to the Community Chest.

The report for the month of November made by Adjutant Ball shows that expenditures amounted to $1,789.92 of which sum $351 was used for transient relief and emergency work.

A total of 134 meals were served to transients and twenty-eight men made applications. Twenty-four persons were accomodated for lodgings. Forty garments, four pairs of shoes and sixteen grocery orders were issued.

In the senior work of the army, forty meetings were held during the month with a total attendance of 1,070. This includes the meetings of the Ladies Home League, Ladies Sewing cicle, public indoor meetings and open air meetings.

In the young peoples' branch, fifty five meetings were held with a total attendance of 738. This includes the Sunday Schools, religious training classes and other young peopies' classes.

Adjutant Ball announced that a new scout troop is starting this Friday night at 7 p. m. in the South Cumberland building of the army and that any boys living in that locality who are not already scouts are welcome to apply for membership in the new troop that evening.

The amount of sickness prevalent in the community cut down on attendance at Salvation Army functions during November, Adjutant Ball said.

COLD SNAP CONTINUES IN CUMBERLAND AREA

The weather continued cold in Cumberland and vicinity last night with roads in good condition although snow flurries were reported in the vicinity of Grantsville shortly before midnight.

Temperature in Cumberland at midnight was 20 degrees, the Western Maryland railway dispatcher reported. Temperatures reported from other localities at the same time were: Frostburg, 12; Deal, Pa., 10 with snow flurries; and Thomas, W. Va., 12 degrees and cloudy.

While the cold snap continued, the temperature at midnight was two degrees higher than the same time the night before when the reading was eighteen degrees.

The ground in nearby areas remains covered with recent snow, particularly in the Garrett county region.

1946 Nash Is Displayed

Milton H. Meyers, manager of the M-G-K Motor Company, announced yesterday that a 1946 model Nash is on display at the company show room on Glenn street. 1946 Nash models will include the "600" and the "Ambassador," Meyers added.

Traffic Club Has Christmas Party At Shrine Club

Members of the Tri-State Traffic Club participated in an old-fashioned Yule-time party last night following their regular monthly dinner meeting at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

At the business session, Leo H. Ley, traffic manager at the Kelly Springfield Tire Company, stated that all of the highway transport offices of the O. D. T., both in Washington and elsewhere in the county, were closed effective December 1. Rationing of new commercial motor vehicles ended at the same time.

Shortage of Equipment

An extreme shortage of railway passenger equipment is delaying the movement of returning troops from the Pacific coast areas, the speaker said, but eastern lines have withdrawn an additional thousand passenger coaches to put into that service. This should help considerably, Ley said.

Airlines from the west to the east have been instructed to set aside seventy per cent of their space for returning soldiers. Holiday travel will continue to be adversely affected by the returning troop movement and civilians are urged not to travel over the seasonal holiday period, Ley said.

Air express rates have been reduced an average of thirteen per cent effective January 1, with the coast to coast rate cut to seventy three cents per pound. The rate was formerly eighty four cents.

Santa Makes Visit

Following the business session, Santa Claus visited the party and distributed gifts to the guests. Group singing was directed by Mr. and Mrs. George F. McDermott. Solos were sung by George W. Ewing, Pittsburgh, and Charles F. Helmick.

Matthew W. Grove, D. P. A. of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, and John L. Carnochan, joint agent of the Western Maryland and Pennsylvania Railroad, teamed together to sing "Working on the Railroad." Ralph Lashley, Ley and Peter J. Decker also presented a number of recitations and songs.

Arrangements for the affair were under the direction of Martin L. Johnson, president; John L. Carnochan, secretary, and William C. Somerville, chairman of the entertainment committee.

Edwards, Bruce To Attend Meeting

Commissioner William J. Edwards and Charles J. Bruce, superintendent of the Evitts Creek Water Company, will drive to Baltimore tomorrow morning to attend the twenty-ninth annual meeting of the four-states section of the American Waterworks Association, Edwards said yesterday.

Both are members of the association. Registration for the meeting will be held this evening, and tomorrow's activities will feature on an address of welcome at 10 a. m. by Mayor Theodore R. McKeldin of Baltimore.

Some 150 engineers, geologists, and public officials from Maryland, the District of Columbia, Eastern Pennsylvania, and Delaware are expected to attend.

R. C. Beckett, chief engineer of the Delaware State Department of Health and chairman of of the section, will preside at the three-day session.

The Fuller award, made annually in recognition of meritorious work in the waterworks field, will be presented at the annual banquet Friday evening. Gustav J. Requardt, member of the advisory board on water supply and advisory engineer to the commission on city planning, who won the award last year, will make the presentation.

Other speakers at the Friday and Saturday sessions will include Dr. Abel Wolman, professor of sanitary engineering at Johns Hopkins and former president of the association; J. R. Hoffert, assistant chief engineer of the Pennsylvania State Department of Health; Leonard N. Thompson, president of the American Waterworks Association; James H. Allen, executive secretary of the interstate commission on the Delaware basin; Edward L. Cotton, engineer-secretary of the interstate committee of the Potomac river; and Clark Hill, city manager of Rehoboth, Del.

Extinguish Blaze

Central Fire Company No. 1 was called to the Carter Sea food shop, 144 North Centre street, last evening at 9:33 o'clock to extinguish a minor blaze in a back room of the shop. Firemen said hot ashes from a can set the floor on fire. Damage, was slight and the blaze was under control in twenty-minutes, firemen added.

Ernest Robinette Is Appointed To National Staff of Red Cross

Ernest O. "Peaches" Robinette, Bowling Green, has been appointed to the national staff of the American Red Cross and has been assigned to Camp Stoneman, Calif., as assistant field director, Mrs. Lee W. Witherup, executive secretary of Allegany County Chapter of the Red Cross, said yesterday.

Robinette, who has had long experience in welfare and teaching work, recently completed nine years of service in Alaska as a teacher and community worker with the Alaska Indian Service of the federal government.

Prior to going to Alaska, Robinette worked for several years as a case worker for the Allegany County Welfare Board and later was assistant camp director in the Maryland State Transient Bureau at Fort Howard.

Prominent in Lifesaving

Robinette holds a Bachelor of Science degree from the International YMCA college, Springfield, Mass., and on completion of his studies there returned to Cumberland and became swimming instructor at Central YMCA for a short period. He was prominent in lifesaving work here and also was associated with the Red Cross.

As assistant field director at Camp Stoneman, Robinette will assist servicemen in solving their personal and family problems, one of the most important services offered by the Red Cross to men in the armed forces, Mrs. Witherup said.

While in Alaska, Robinette was stationed at Quicklook, where he provided medical aid for Eskimos, got doctors for them and obtained airplane service to fly sick Eskimos to communities where they could receive better medical care.

Robinette returned to Seattle, Wash., from Alaska late last summer and arrived in Cumberland about the middle of October before going to Washington for a two week's Red Cross course.

Trained in California

At the completion of that period, he went to San Francisco, Calif., for

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Heskett Reports Flood Control Plans Completed

Project To Be Discussed by Army Engineers at Meeting November 20

By MARY LOUISE BUZZELL

Plans and preliminary estimates for Cumberland's flood control project have been completed by army engineers, Charles Z. Heskett, city attorney, said last night.

Heskett said he received a telephone call to that effect yesterday afternoon from Lt. Col Byron Bird, assistant district engineer of the United States Engineer Office, Washington, D. C.

The city attorney said that a meeting has been called for Thursday, December 20, at 1:15 p. m. in the council chamber at city hall, when Col. Bird and other army engineers will give a report on recommendations which will be made to the federal government regarding the project.

Officials Will Attend

Among those who will be asked to attend the meeting are Mayor Thomas S. Post and the city council; Dr. Thomas W. Koon and the members of the municipal planning and zoning commission; Mayor Odbert Poling and the town council of Ridgeley, W. Va.; Ralph L. Rizer, city engineer, and members of his staff; and Heskett.

It is expected that Col. Bird will be accompanied here by Col. John M. Johnson, district engineer of the United States Engineer Office.

Col. Bird and Col. Clarence Renshaw, who was later succeeded by Col. Johnson, were in Cumberland November 29, 1943, to confer with city officials and the municipal planning and zoning commission regarding a flood protection plan for Cumberland and Ridgeley.

At that time ratification of a proposed "deepened channel plan" with modifications was effected and army engineers were authorized to proceed with preliminary plans for the project, in a joint resolution approved by the planning and zoning commission and Mayor Thomas F. Conlon and the city council.

The plan provided for deepening the channel of Wills creek, building a retaining wall along the greater portion of Mechanic street with a floodway adjacent to the creek, and removal of the existing dam, with reduction of sidewalls, stop logs and pumping stations to the fullest extent possible. A clause in the resolution specifically requested federal authorities to undertake the maintenance of the channel after completion of the project.

Another Dam Proposed

Another dam would be constructed farther up the Potomac river, making possible a reservoir which might be of value to the industries located there, according to provisions of the plan.

Col. Renshaw had estimated previously that the cost to the city would be approximately $800,000, with an overall cost of about $4,600,000, the difference to be borne by the federal government for channels, dykes and levees.

Construction of a flood control model in Vicksburg, Miss., was authorized in January, 1944, and completed the following July. A Cumberland delegation, including Commissioner James Orr and Commissioner Hunter B. Helfrich, Rizer, and Heskett, visited Vicksburg last May to witness flood model tests.

Lions Hear Talk By J. R. Tenney

In 1944 the nation's railroads performed 738 billion ton miles of service as compared with a prewar record of 447 billion ton miles in 1929, J. R. Tenney, superintendent of safety of the Western Maryland Railway, told members of the Lions Club yesterday in an address entitled "The Improved Iron Horse."

"In the last year or two, the railroads have been faced with the necessity of performing more transportation service per unit of equipment and per employe than ever before," Tenney said. "They have not only taken on the war load as measured in movements of troops, material, lend lease supplies etc., but have also absorbed a very substantial volume of traffic which formerly moved by coastwise and inter-coastal vessels, motor truck and bus."

Tenney told the group that "with one-fourth fewer employes, one-third fewer locomotives, one-fourth fewer freight cars and one-third fewer passenger cars than they had in the First World war, the railroads are moving nearly double as many troops per month; about five times as much army freight and express per month; twenty times as much navy freight and express per month for overseas destinations; and nearly double as many ton miles of freight of all kinds per month, as they moved in the last war—and they are performing this unprecedented task efficiently and without serious congestion."

The reason for this is the fact that railroads have a better organization than in the last war, entered the war better organized to co-ordinate their efforts and services and have more effective co-operation among shippers and between shippers and railroads in the utilization of equipment, Tenney said.

Two Men Post Bonds After Disturbance

Two men who police said were involved in a disturbance in the Maryland tap room, North Mechanic street, posted $10 bond each for a hearing in police court this morning.

The men, docketed as James Angelletta, 533 Henderson avenue, and Marshall Caton, Frostburg, were arrested by Officer Ernest M. Powell at 10:30 p. m., and booked for disorderly conduct.

Roy Glass, Route 1, Narrows Park, was fined $5 in police court yesterday on a charge of disorderly conduct. A fine of $10 on the same charge was suspended for Joseph F. Boyland, 538 North Centre street.